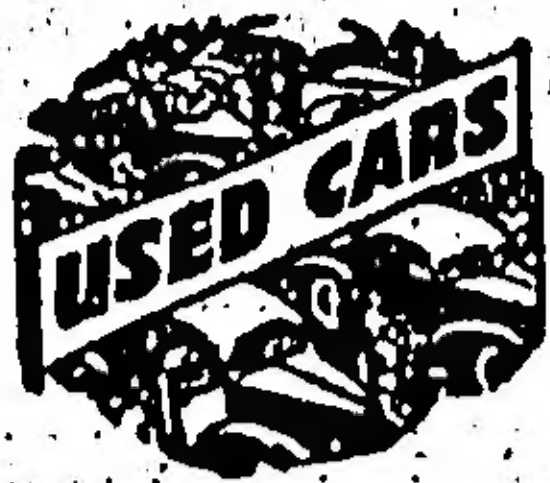


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## LENINGRAD SITUATION IMPROVES: STRONG RED COUNTER-ATTACKS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

MOSCOW, SEPT. 28 (UP).—THE POSITION AT LENINGRAD APPEARS TO HAVE SOMEWHAT IMPROVED ON SUNDAY. DISPATCHES REPORTED STIFFENING RESISTANCE AND THE GROWING STRENGTH OF THE RUSSIAN COUNTER-ATTACKS. IN SEVERAL SUB-SECTORS THE RUSSIANS BROKE THROUGH THE NAZI DEFENCES CONSISTING OF SEVERAL LINES OF TRENCHES 150 METRES APART AND SEIZED THE FORTIFIED POSITION.

The Germans appeared to have advanced nowhere. The "Red Star" in a dispatch asserted that Leningrad itself had become an invulnerable bastion and that every inhabitant had become a warrior. The city's approaches consist of an elaborate system of barricades including dug-outs and pillboxes which are everywhere. Factories have been organised on military lines and individual shops are now constituting companies and platoons under the command of former managers.

## USUAL WEEKLY DRUBBING

Raids On Italian Bases

CAIRO, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The R.A.F. had a busy time between Friday night and Saturday night, bombing and machine-gunning targets at Sardinia, Sicily, Taranto, Palermo, Agrigento, Bardia and Mersa Luku.

## OPERATIONS OF WEEK BY RAF

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—R.A.F. operations over Germany and occupied territory during the week ending at dawn on September 28 were much reduced by unfavourable weather.

Strong forces of bombers and fighters made successful attacks in daylight on September 21 on the power station at Gosnay and railway objectives at Lille. In all 24 German fighters were destroyed in these operations for the loss of 13 British fighters, but two British pilots were saved and no bombers were lost.

News was released this week of the new Hurricane equipped with powerful armament of 12 guns and four cannon. They have gained further successes against enemy shipping.

### Shipping Attacked

In daylight on September 26, they attacked four mine-sweepers and two anti-aircraft ships, probably destroying two mine-sweepers and damaging the anti-aircraft ships.

British fighters also sank a patrol vessel off the French coast. The Coastal Command also made successful attacks on enemy ships off the coast of Norway. A 5,000-ton supply ship was hit and a 6,000-ton supply ship is also believed to have been hit.

Docks at Calais, Dunkirk and Boulogne were raided by Bomber Command aircraft as were also objectives at Cologne and Western Germany.

### Over N. France

In the afternoon of September 27, a big air sweep over France of Blenheim with a fighter escort was made. The railway centre at Amiens and the railway junction near Lavaux were bombed with good results. Twenty-one enemy fighters were destroyed to 13 British.

The attack was the week's heaviest and Germany sent up more fighters than had been seen for a long time. During the week's operations, 28 British aircraft are missing but five pilots are safe. Forty-five German fighters were destroyed.

### Our Fighters Over France

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—R.A.F. fighters to-day carried out offensive patrols over occupied France. Attacks were made with cannon fire on a supply train and also two petrol wagons which were set alight.

Aircraft on the ground, troops and machine-gun posts were also attacked and an anti-aircraft gun was silenced, says the Air Ministry. No British aircraft was missing. It is now known that one of the British fighters reported lost in the operations over Northern France on Saturday afternoon is safe. There was no enemy activity over Britain during daylight to-day.

## WORLD'S GREATEST BATTLES

No Soviet Weakening

WAR COMMENTARY BY "ANALYST"

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).

The war on the eastern front enters its 16th week to-day. For 98 days Soviet forces have been exposed to the full weight of the German military machine. Over a zone nearly 2,000 miles long, German panzers, and Stukas, with infantry support, have hammered and battered at the Russian lines with never-ceasing pressure.

Millions of men have been engaged in this titanic struggle, which is undoubtedly the greatest battle ever known. Yet although the Russians have lost ground and have suffered a grievous loss in men and material, at no point of their far-flung battle line has their front been pierced nor is there any sign of weakening in their power of resistance.

### Impregnable Bastion

In the fighting itself, there has been no important development in the last 24 hours. Leningrad is still holding strongly and Odessa is proving an equally impregnable bastion. Fighting in the central sector has slackened, probably because the ubiquitous mud is hampering operations. But in the south, the German assaults do not seem to have made any impression on the Crimea. Nor is there any talk of any further advance towards the Donetz. Marshal Budenny seems to have succeeded in re-grouping his forces before Kharkov which may prove the next German objective in addition to the Crimea.

### Element of Time

The Germans now claim that all resistance behind their advance lines east of Kiev has been annihilated. The process has taken just ten days on their own showing and losses have probably not been one-sided. In spite of the exhaustion which must be beginning to tell upon the Germans as much as on the Russians, it is obvious that the High Command cannot break off the struggle at this juncture and give the troops a rest. The element of time is becoming more and more acute, especially in the operations at Leningrad.

## Chinese High Command Shows Fine Confidence

Special to the "Telegraph"

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (UP).—It is authoritatively stated that the Chinese High Command is very confident of a large-scale success in the Changsha battle, regardless of the fate of the city as the Chinese are employing large armies, including considerable reinforcements for one of the biggest mopping-up moves against six Japanese divisions.

The authorities said that a quick victory was unlikely the Chinese objective requiring steam-roller efforts. It is reliably stated that Japanese plainclothes soldiers have been rounded up in the immediate Changsha defence sector this afternoon.

A military spokesman said that he had conversed over the telephone with General Hsieh-Yuen this afternoon who reported that bloody fighting was raging on the outskirts of Changsha where six Japanese divisions were doing their utmost to occupy the city, while Japanese fifth columnists were working inside the city. He reported that Chinese bombers heavily attacked the Japanese forces at Changsha to-day.

### Japanese Claims

SHANGHAI, Sept. 28 (UP).—The Japanese Commanders-in-Chief TURN to Back Page, Column 5

## Spirit Of Revolt Among Czech Alarms Germans

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Faced by a mounting tide of sabotage, passive resistance and revolt among the people of Czechoslovakia, the 68-year-old Baron von Neurath, for two and a half years the Nazi "Protector" of that country, has handed his task over to a young Black Guard Group Leader, Reinhard Heydrich, Second-in-Command of the Secret Police.

## Germans From Iran Arrive In Turkey

ANKARA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Four hundred and fifty Axis women, children and staff of the German Legation from Teheran passed through Ankara to-day. The train was met by Frau Clodius wife of Hitler's trade negotiator, the Bulgarian Minister and representatives of the Italian and Hungarian Missions.

## TANKS! Britain's Record Effort for Soviet

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Tank production during "Tanks for Russia" week was nearly 20 per cent. higher than the previous week, which itself provided an all-time record, states the Ministry of Supply. Saturday's tank output was the highest daily production rate ever reached and the last three days of the week produced more tanks than any previous three days.

A Ministry of Supply official stated that targets had been set for every tank and plane in the country—targets which were even higher than the peak objectives of last week.

### Workers' Pledge

Throughout the week-end, telegrams and telephone calls had been pouring into the Ministry from tank factories, foundries and steel-works, etc., in which workers pledged themselves to do their utmost to exceed last week's record production this week.

Ministry of Supply experts have planned a rapidly expanding tank production programme covering every process of manufacture. This programme is based on a long-term policy for a constant flow of those types selected for immediate needs by the Soviet Government and also to maintain simultaneously the increasing requirements of Britain's own "swiftly-expanding" armoured fighting forces.

## Italian Staff Captured Desert Interlude

CAIRO, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The capture of an Italian staff car by South Africans is mentioned in to-day's British Middle East communique.

The communique states: "Libya. Apart from ineffective enemy artillery fire, the situation at Tobruk throughout yesterday was generally quiet."

In the frontier area our patrols continued their aggressive activities. Yesterday a South African patrol captured a staff car containing four Italian officers.

## Nazis Urging Japan To Go To War With Russia

SHANGHAI, Sept. 29 (Reuter).—The American owned "China Press" carries a statement attributed to a source in Tokyo that Germany is exercising pressure on Japan through Fascist Japanese Army officers in favour of an immediate clash with Russia.

Prince Konoye, says the report, is losing confidence in the policy of aggrandisement through aggression. His views are stated to have clashed uncompromisingly with Fascist army and navy officers.

Meanwhile the attitude of the administration is cautious, feeling that Germany is by no means victor in Russia yet and that for Japan to tackle Russia's powerful Far Eastern army would involve giving second place to the China war and the southward drive.

Heydrich took office to-day and issued his first decree proclaiming a state of emergency in six districts of the protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia.

This proclamation will enable swift and drastic action to be taken against those suspected of opposition to the Nazi regime. Observers in London believe that it is the prelude to a fresh wave of arrests without trial and summary executions.

Simultaneously came a report of an unsuccessful attempt on the life of Dr. Tuka, the Nazi-appointed Premier of Slovakia.

### Visit To Hacha

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Heydrich paid his first official visit to President Dr. Emil Hacha accompanied by Dr. Frank, State Secretary of the Protectorate. The districts to which the state of emergency applies are Prague, Brno, Mährisch-Ostau, Kladno, Koenigsgratz and Oelmütz. Heydrich informed the president of the reasons and events which necessitated the proclamation stating that it was necessary to protect the population in the pay of the enemy recently committed a number of individual actions hostile to the Reich.

### Fate of Europe

"The population who for the most part realise that the fate of the nations of Europe is linked with the Reich are expected not to allow themselves to be in any way misled by the propaganda. Every order loving person is urged to the protection of the authorities. The Deputy Reich Protector then informed the President that the Premier of the Protectorate Government, Ing. Karel Elias had been arrested on a charge of plotting high treason and would be tried by the national court in due course. He expressed his cognation of the loyalty of Hacha since the formation of the protectorate. "Subsequently Hacha sent Heydrich a written statement expressing the readiness of the Protectorate Government to co-operate in the tasks ahead."

### No Appeal

JERUSALEM, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—There will be no appeal against sentences passed for offences under the state of emergency passed in Bohemia and Moravia and they will be carried out immediately, according to information reaching authoritative circles here. Cases will be tried by court martial.

### Upholding The "V"

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The order of Colonel Britton, the British TURN to Back Page, Column 5

## Berlin-Vichy Seek Basis For Future Harmony

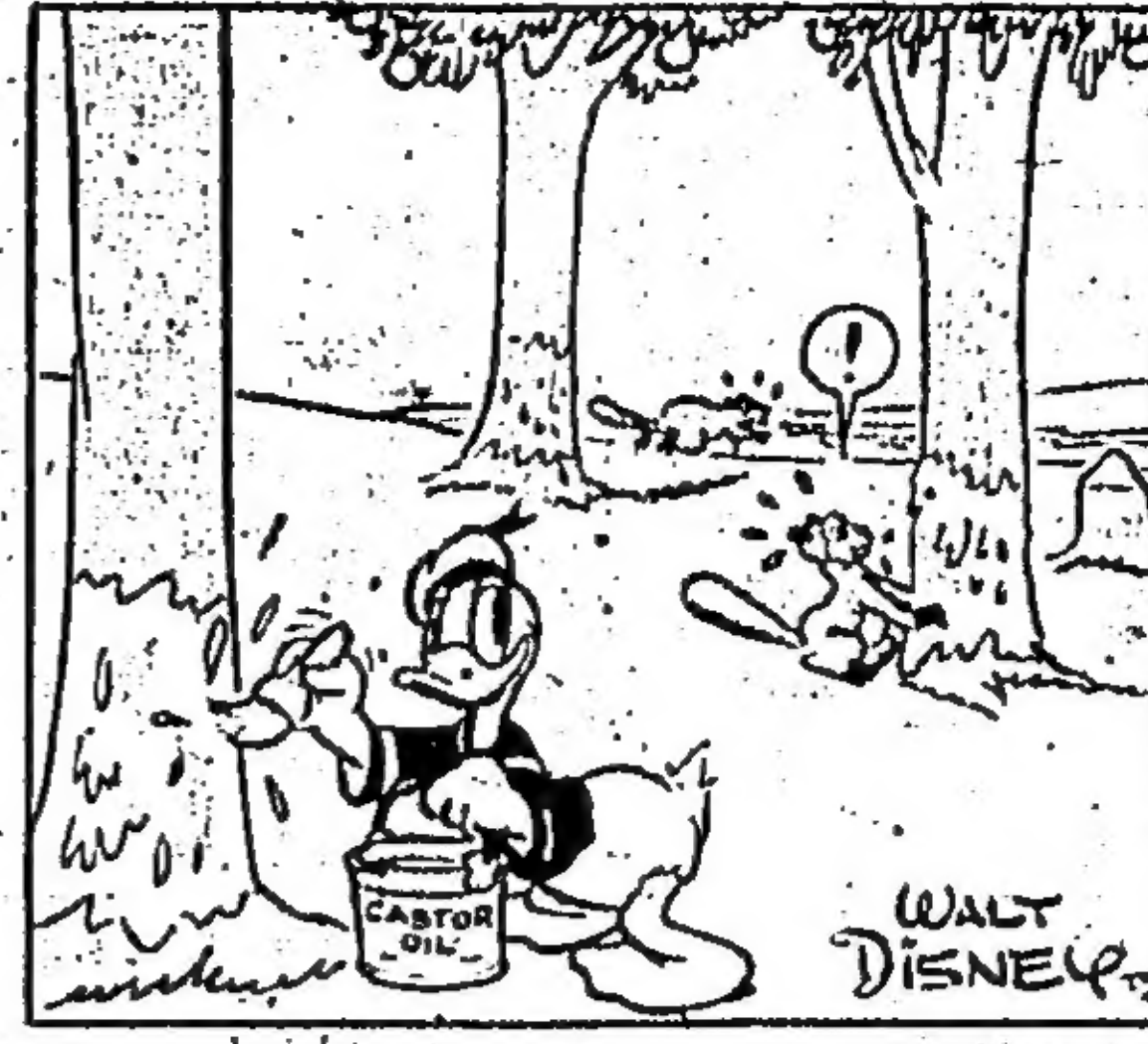
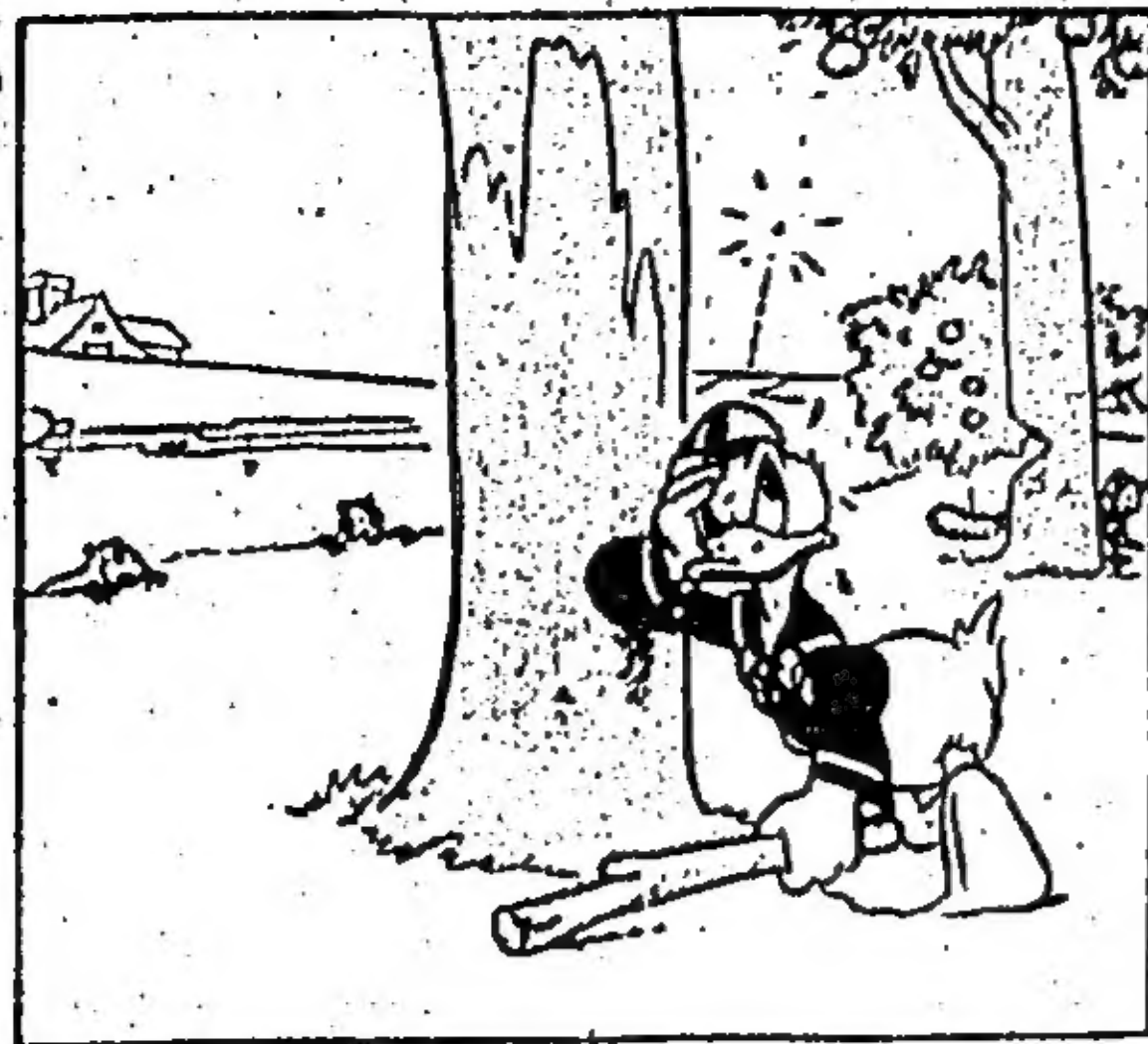
STOCKHOLM, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Discussions proceeding between Berlin and the Vichy Government aim at reaching more satisfactory relations.

While conclusion of a separate peace is not anticipated, it is expected that there will be relaxation of Armistice conditions, says the Berlin correspondent of the newspaper "Aftenbladet."

He adds that it is proposed that between the two countries is also expected through re-opening of the French Embassy in Berlin although the whole civil administration will be carried out by the "Diplomatic Mission" instead of Embassies and Legations.



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1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press and Announcements.

1.45 Glenn Miller and His Orchestra.

2.15 Close Down.

0.6 Indian Programme.

0.45 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

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7.22 The London Philharmonic Orchestra and Tiana Lemnitz (Sop.).

8.0 London Relay—The News.

8.15 London Relay—War Commentary.

8.25 London Relay—"Listening Post"—Examination of Points in Daily Propaganda.

9.30 Programme Summary.

9.32 Primo Scala's Accordion Band and Sam Browne (Vocal).

9.00 Local Time Signal and Announcements.

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10.00 London—The News and News Commentary.

10.15 Dance Music.

11.0 London—News From Home.—Discussion by Howard Marshall.

11.15 Close Down.

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## Plan to Feed Europe's Post-war Population

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (UP).—The United States is drawing up plans for the greatest relief expedition of history—to feed and restore to health the undernourished hordes of Europe—after the war is over, it was learned to-day.

Plans include establishment of a huge store of foods and other relief articles to meet immediate problems and a longer-range plan to assure freedom of trade and an ample supply of raw materials for all nations.

The long-range plan is to be based on international trade agreements and, possibly, creation of a huge international bank to finance international transactions.

A "test-tube" bank now is being formed as the inter-American bank for the Western Hemisphere republics.

A hint of the post-war plan was given by Assistant Secretary of State Adolph A. Berle, Jr., at a reception by the exiled Grand Duchess Charlotte of Luxembourg recently at the Luxembourg Legation.

"It is the plan of this government, when the first tide of barbarity shall be rolled back," he said, "to turn the full measure of its economic strength to bringing help, relief and sustenance to the tens of millions of families in many countries who are now hungry, cold, homeless, sick, separated or in prison by the ruthless act of a group of tyrants."

Small nations, he promised, will be able in the post-war world to "live in freedom." He asked for a general international accord "under which all countries are assured of participation in the economic life of the world."

**Encouragement**  
Informed officials said the surplus producing nations of the Americas will play an important role in formulating the diplomatic policy whereby post-war plans will be carried out. They hoped that the other 20 American republics will act as a bloc with the United States.

Fuller details of the plan are expected to be unfolded by leading officials in the future, both to encourage the resistance of conquered peoples, and to achieve national as well as international backing for the project.

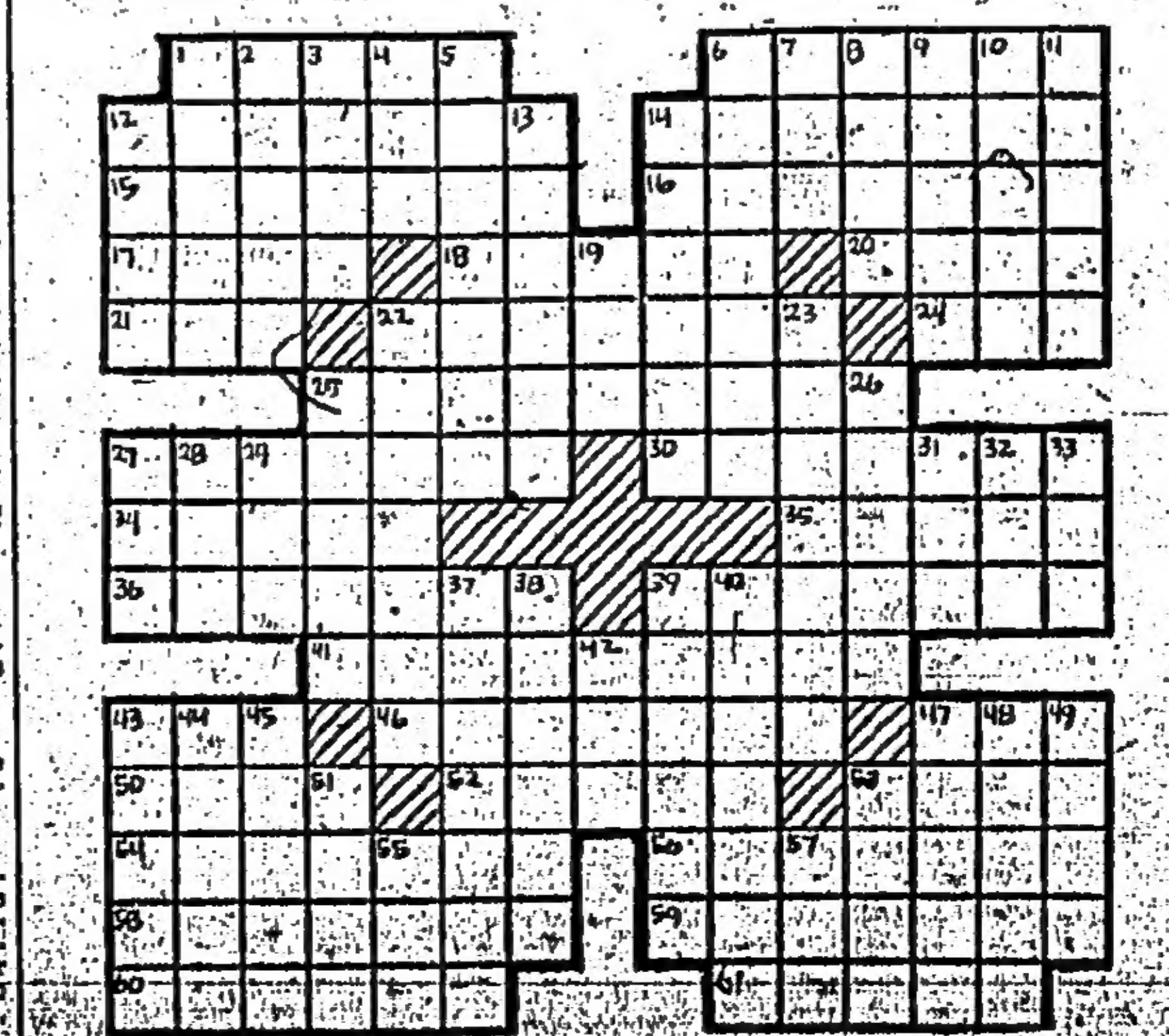
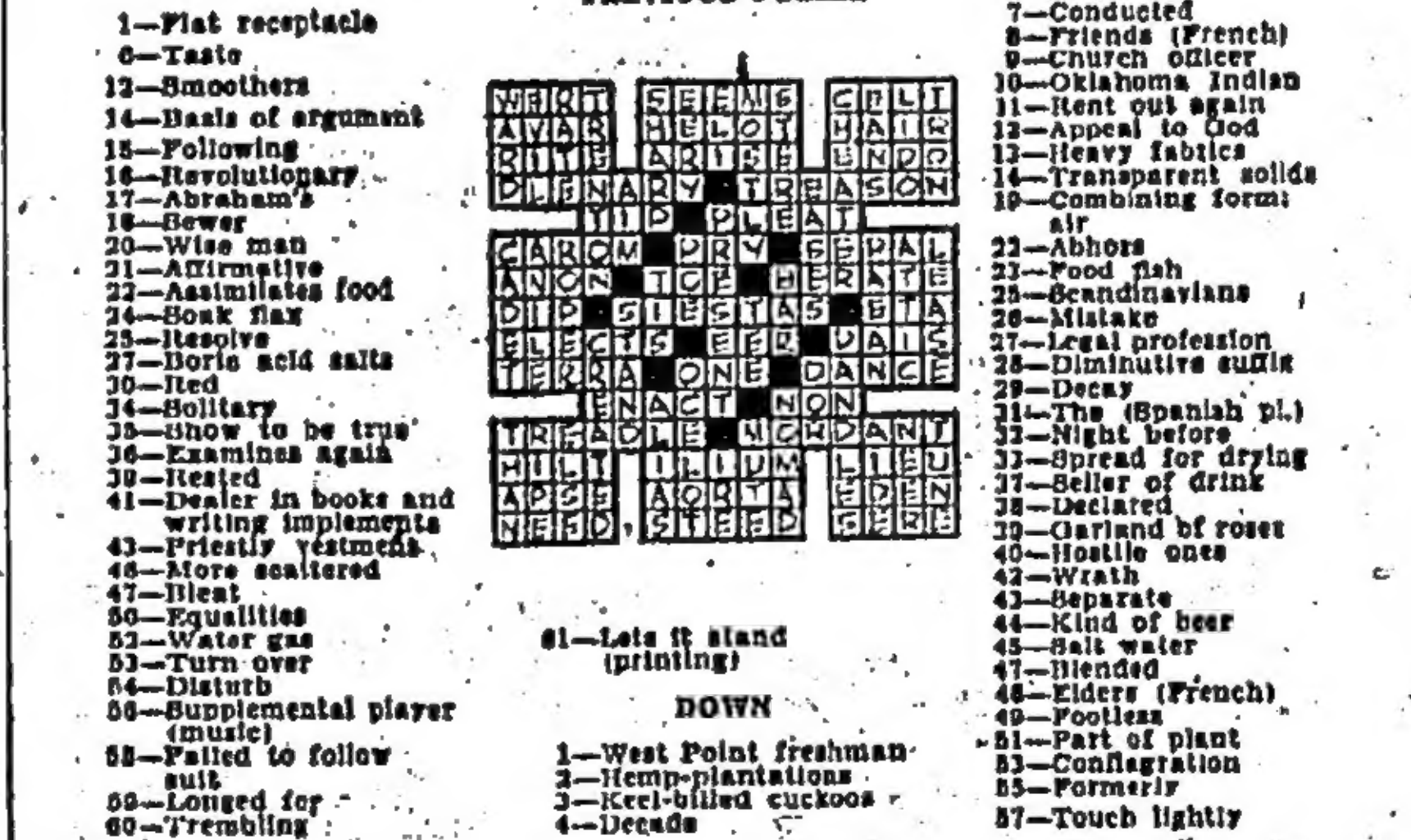
## Posthumous Children Of Naval Heroes

Five hundred widows of naval men who recently lost their lives in the war are expecting babies in the next few months, said Admiral Sir Sidney Fremantle in London recently.

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## MALAYAN DANCE CHAMPION DEAD

The death took place recently in Ipoh of Mr. Ng Sai Khom, the Malayan ballroom dancing champion, after sudden heart attack. Mr. Sai Khom was the second son of the late Mr. Ng Sek Foon. He was 27 years of age.



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## Anglo-U.S. Delegates In Moscow

MOSCOW, Sept. 28 (Reuter). Lord Beaverbrook, Mr. Averell Harriman and other members of the British and American delegations to Moscow arrived here this evening.

They were met by M. Vishinsky, Vice-Commissar for Foreign Affairs, Admiral Kuznetsov, Commissar for the U.S.S.R. Navy, General Gollkov, Deputy Chief of the General Staff, M. Sobolev, Secretary-General of the Foreign Commissariat, Sir Stafford Cripps, the British Ambassador, Mr. Laurence Steinhardt, the United States Ambassador, and personnel of both Embassies.

## FAILURE OF NEURATH

New Wrath To Come BY "REUTERS" DIPLOMAT CORRESPONDENT

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Loading up to the dramatic events of this week-end in Czechoslovakia is the long story of the battle to suppress the Czechs fought by an aging German diplomat of the old school (Baron von Neurath) who tried vainly to work through Nazi methods though he was not himself an original member of the Nazi Party.

He was made an honorary member of the Black Guard in 1937. Von Neurath's resignation this week-end is his second great failure. His failure was his inability to retain his post as Foreign Minister in Hitler's Government.

**Enmity With Ribbentrop**  
Neurath bitterly hated and was hated by Ribbentrop, whose policies he has often opposed. When in 1937 Ribbentrop was appointed Hitler's Ambassador in London, Neurath declared to a "Reuter" correspondent: "Believe me, it is still I who control German's foreign policy no matter what journeys abroad Ribbentrop may choose to make."  
This statement did not remain true long, for only a few months later, in February, 1938, he was succeeded by Ribbentrop as Foreign Minister.

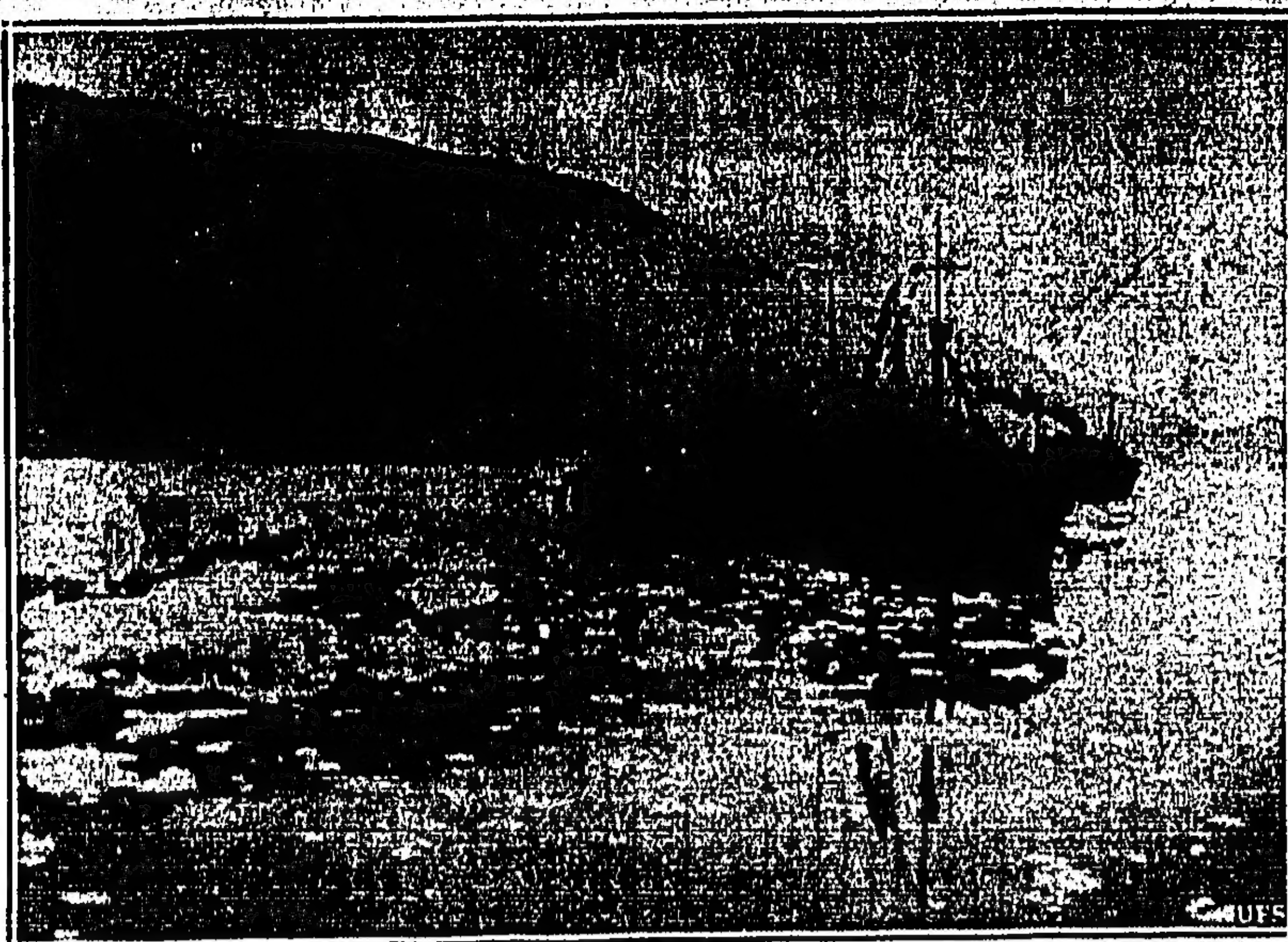
**Ruthless Successor**  
His rule in Czechoslovakia has never been a success and several times he is understood to have asked Hitler for permission to resign. Now it seems he has insisted as he can carry on no longer.

In 1939 came the news that Heydrich had been appointed to take charge of the "People's Information Service," a super-Gestapo to which over-members of the Gestapo, who were themselves sowing discontent then about "Hitler's pact with the Soviet."

He is the author of a book on espionage published for members of the Nazi Party.

## NEPAL'S LOYALTY TO CAUSE OF BRITAIN

KHATMANDUS, Nepal, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—"A just cause gives hundredfold strength to its arms and, fighting as Britain is with grim determination for an unselfish end, there can be no doubt of her ultimate victory," declared Maharajah Sir Jodha Shum Shere Jung Bahadur Rana, Prime Minister of Nepal, addressing a Durbar to-day. He reiterated Nepal's unwavering attachment to Britain. He referred to the satisfactory manner in which the work of providing 20,000-suitable recruits with a view to adding 20 extra battalions to the existing British Gurkha regiments had been done.



**DEFENSE OUTPOST**—The United States, having taken Greenland under its protection, is now rapidly building naval bases on that black island. This photo, one of the first revealing U. S. forces in Greenland, shows two patrol boats tied alongside an oil tanker and Navy transport.

## U.S. Oil Industry To Construct Longest Pipe-line In The World

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (UP).—Defence Oil Co-ordinator, Harold L. Ickes, recently received the oil industry's plan for immediate construction of the longest single pipe-line in the world—an 1,820-mile line from the Texas and Louisiana fields to the New York-Philadelphia refining area.

The pipe-line would handle 250,000 barrels of oil daily from the Texas and Louisiana fields by way of Illinois. Eleven large oil firms drew up the agreement for the construction.

They propose creation of two jointly-owned and privately-financed pipe-line corporations, to take care of the line's construction and operation.

The agreement for its construction would become effective when President Roosevelt proclaims the need of such a pipe-line for defence purposes, setting forth terms and conditions under which it is to be constructed and operated, and granting the corporations the right to exercise the eminent domain in acquiring rights-of-way, in the event they cannot be obtained through ordinary channels.

Under the agreement, one corporation would construct, operate and maintain:

1. A 22-inch pipe-line originating west of Shreveport, La., near the Texas border, and extending to a point near Salem, Ill.
2. A 6-inch line from Salem to Wood River, Illinois, to tap lines carrying oil from Oklahoma, Kansas, Texas, mid-continent and Illinois areas.
3. A 24-inch pipe-line from the junction of the first two lines, near Salem, to the New York and Philadelphia area, with branches to refining centres.
4. Tank farms, pumping stations and equipment to deliver 250,000 barrels daily to terminal points at Bayonne, New Jersey and Philadelphia.

**Survey In Progress**  
The other corporation would construct, operate and maintain a 22-inch pipe-line extending from the East Texas oil field to a point near Shreveport, where it would connect with the other line.

Survey parties already are in the field and aerial mapping of the proposed routes is in progress. Actual construction of the lines cannot be started, however, until the route has been mapped and rights-of-way obtained.

Pipe-line construction, once an arduous, time-consuming task, is speeded now by use of mechanical ditch diggers and by tractors which haul in and bend the pipe, the sections of which are welded together. The lines normally tunnel under roads, railroads and streams and cross larger rivers. Some pipe-lines depend on gravity for maintaining the flow. Others have booster-pump stations which step up the flow.

## RUNAWAY SHIP ON THE CLYDE

Stopped In Time By Young Seaman

Hundreds of people saw a man dive fully clothed from the George V. Bridge, Glasgow, recently, and swim to the rescue of a steamer which had broken from her moorings and was drifting helplessly with no one on board.

The man was Henry Newby, a 27-years-old merchant seaman, of Livingston-street, South Shields, who was on a few hours' shore leave from his own ship.

Crossing the George V. Bridge, he saw a small coastal vessel drifting almost broadside on and in danger of fouling other vessels moored along the river.

The coaster had broken her moorings under the strain of a strong down-stream tide and current. Her mast had caught a suspension bridge 200 yards further up the river and snapped.

Newby leapt over the parapet and dived 40ft. into the muddy Clyde. A few strokes brought him alongside the bow, and, grasping the broken mooring rope, he swarmed aboard hand over hand.

**Controls Ship**  
"The ship was drifting almost broadside on the current as I rushed for the helm," Newby told the interviewer. "I turned it hard over to port, but the engines were not running, and the ship did not answer to the rudder."

"I hung on however, and the bow came slowly round. As it did so two dock officials came alongside in a ferryboat."

"Thousands of people must have seen the drifting ship, but no one seemed to realise the danger she was likely to become to other berthed vessels," he added.

## Holy Sepulchre A.R.P. Guard

The world shrine of Christianity—Jerusalem's Holy Sepulchre—now has its A.R.P. squad to defend the most precious Christian relic from incendiary bombs.

It is composed of black-bearded, robed monks of three orders, who are inconspicuously equipped with tin hats and fire hose.

Since June, fire hydrants have been installed inside the sepulchre's main entrance.

Now three independent squads, each of four monks, have been organised from the Armenian, Greek and Roman Catholic communities.

Soon all three squads, it is expected, will be equipped with gas masks, as well as tin-hats and fire axes.

## Killed Filming R.A.F. From Air

Two film cameramen were killed when a plane from which they were filming R.A.F. formation flying crashed in Britain.

They were Otto Kanturek, Czech-born and British naturalised, and Jack Parry, his British assistant. The pilot of the plane also lost his life.

The shots were to have formed part of a Hollywood film, "A Yank in the R.A.F.," and is to be released throughout the world.

Mr. Kanturek, who leaves a wife and year-old baby, specialised in aerial photography. He had just returned from Hollywood.

## Kwong Wah Surprise S. China

(Continued from Page 6.)

ments, and as for Lee Wai-long, he was too well marked by Lee Kwok-wai to be of much danger. The two wings sent across some good centres, and the left winger, Lee Shek-yau, wasted innumerable chances by his slow methods in parrying with the ball.

Both keepers had a lot to do throughout, and Lee Kwok-kee came out of the afternoon's fray with flying colours, for he saved at least on three occasions by diving full length for the ball.

**The Play**  
For the first five minutes play was confined to South China's half where Chin Chi-fan's centre was well held by Tam Kwan-hon, which was followed by Cheuk Shek-kam, ballooning over when well placed. At the other end, Lee Wai-long's pass to Chin Chi-fai saw the latter transferring the ball to Lee Shek-yau only to see him robbed by Fok Yiu-wah.

Chau Man-chi was given possession but was unable to do much with Yeung Tse-cheung at his heels. However, following a passing bout, Chin Chi-fai tested Lee Kwok-kee but did not find the keeper wanting in his duty.

From a breakaway, Wong King-chung was given the ball, but was robbed by Tang Chung-wan. As the latter was dallying with the ball, a cross shot which deflected off Tam Kwan-hon's foot. But Chin Chi-fan came across to crash the ball into the net to give Kwong Wah the lead.

**Again Attacking**  
With the score against them, South China once again took up the attack in the second period, but had luck in their every time they took a shot at goal.

Lee Tak-kee came into the picture with several good efforts but at least two of his shots had Lee Kwok-kee well beaten only to strike the bar.

Kwong Wah had several hectic minutes in front of their goal, as South China did everything but allow Lee Kwok-wai to rob them. However, with the attacks coming as it did at the most crucial period of the game, Kwong Wah's defence held out. Further efforts by Chau Man-chi and Lee Tak-kee proved unavailing.

**Second Goal**  
Much against the run of the play, Kwong Wah obtained their second goal, when in a breakaway they forced a corner from which Cheuk Shek-kam headed the ball into the net. Previous to this, Tam Kwan-hon had to make well out of the area, stopping Chin Chi-fan from scoring as by now the whole of South China's team were concentrating in attack.

Towards the end of the game South China made several positional changes but to no effect, although just before full time Lee Kwok-kee had to dive full length in effecting a save from Lau Chung-sang.

South China: Tam Kwan-hon; Tseung Chung-wan, Tse Kam-hung; Lau Hing-choy, Lam Tak-po, Lau Chung-sang; Chin Chi-fai, Lee Kwok-kee, Lee Wai-long, Chau Man-chi, Lee Shek-yau.

Kwong Wah: Lee Kwok-kee, Chung Fai-lam, Lee Kwok-wai, Fok Yiu-wah, Yeung Tse-cheung, Leung Pak-wai, Chin Chi-fan, Tin Yung-fat, Chan Tak-fai, Cheuk Shek-kam, Wong King-chung.

## Salt-petre Loss In Norway

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—A fire, which broke out in a salt-petre factory in the Norwegian province of Telemark yesterday, destroyed work-shops, laboratories and much of the precious substance, according to an Oslo dispatch to the independent French Agency.

The fire is ascribed to spontaneous combustion.

## Miss Ho Wai-king Again Breaks National Records

Three Chinese National Records were shattered at the All-Chinese Schools' Swimming gala at Lai-chikok yesterday. The gala was held under the auspices of the Hongkong and Kowloon Residents' Union Clubs.

Miss Ho Wai-king broke two National records by returning the excellent time of 35.2 seconds for the Women's 50 metres free-style and 1 minute 32.0 secs for the Women's 100 metres back-stroke. Yau Sai-kwan, clocking 21 minutes 20 seconds, broke the record for the Men's 1,500 metres free-style.

Mr. Leung Tung-fung, Hon. Advisor of the Club, presented the prizes.

Results were as follows:  
Men's 150 metres medley relay—1. Hing Chuen School "A"; 2. Canton University; 3. Hing Chuen School "B". 1 minute 41.4 seconds.

Women's 150 metres medley relay—1. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"); 2. Chan Chiu-chong (Canton "U"); 3. John Dai (Hing Chuen). 22.3 secs.

Men's 50 metres free-style—1. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"); 2. Chan Chiu-chong (Canton "U"); 3. John Dai (Hing Chuen). 22.3 secs.

Women's 50 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king; 2. Ng Po-ling (Hing Chuen). 35.2 secs. (Chinese National record).

Men's 200 metres breast-stroke—1. Chan Chiu-chong (Hing Chuen); 2. Wong Lok-ting (Hing Chuen); 3. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"). 5 min 8.8 secs.

Women's 200 metres breast-stroke—1. Ng Shiu-in (Hing Chuen); 2. Sham Yung (Canton "U"); 3. Chan Chiu-chong (Hing Chuen). 5 min 40 secs.

Men's 100 metres free-style—1. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"); 2. John Dai (Hing Chuen); 3. Cheung Sheut-ping (Kwok Man "U"). 1 min 24 secs.

Women's 100 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king; 2. Sum Put (Canton "U"); 3. Tsang Tung-kwan. 1 min 24 secs.

Men's 400 metres free-style—1. Yau Sai-kwan (Canton "U"); 2. Cheung Sheut-ping (Kwok Man "U"); 3. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"). 5 min 31.1 secs.

Women's 400 metres free-style—1. Sum Put (Canton "U"); 2. Hing Chuen School "B". 2 min 4.4 secs.

Men's 100 metres free-style relay—1. Hing Chuen School "A"; 2. Hing Chuen School "B". 2 min 48.3 secs.

**Civil Servants' Cross-Harbour Race**  
There were 31 entrants, including two women and three children. In the annual Harbour Race held by the Hongkong Chinese Civil Servants' Club yesterday.

All the participants completed the course, which began from the Langar Kowloon City and ended at the Club's Pavilion at North Point, a distance of about 1,600 metres.

Ho Poon-kan came in first with a time of 25 minutes and 25 seconds. Of the two women who participated, Miss Tseng Sau-chun came in first, clocking 32 minutes and 45 seconds. Thirteen-year-old Leung Hin-yuen, who was first among the children and returned a time of 31 minutes 53.5 seconds.

Following were the results in order of arrival:  
Men: Ho Poon-kan; Tsang Yiu; Kwong Yiu-wing; Tseng Lau-kwan; Lo Wing-cheung; Chan Tse-nai; Bowen; Shier Ham; Tseng Wing-ke; So Kwok-wing; Ip Fung-see; To Yuk-king; Jim Kam-wa; Poon Kam-lim; Wong Pui-kai; Leung Tat-shing; Chan Chung-kee; Young Lai-wah; Huen Yau-chak; Chung Wang-kee; Shin Ching; Li Shu-pun; Chan Kam-kwan; Tam Hung-kwan; Tam Hung-kwan; Chan Tung-ping; Chan Tung-ping.

Women: Tseng Sau-chun, and Yeung Kam-mui.  
Children: Leung Hin-yuen, Leung Hin-kin and So Kwok-wa.

## Japan And The Axis

**Spanish Observation**  
MADRID, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Japanese correspondents at the Foreign Press Club in Berlin yesterday did not hold their hands in a Nazi salute but stood to attention "while some other correspondents kept their hands in their pockets" when the German and Nazi anthems were played after the broadcast announcement of the end of the battle of Kiev.

Making this statement, the Berlin correspondent of the Madrid Journal "Alcazar" added that the anniversary of the signing of the Tripartite Pact emphasised once more that the "pact in theory never impressed the German people."

Their policy of "one pact per day" was so far one which had given them the best results. Germany's safety was not based on pacts but on the strength of the army.

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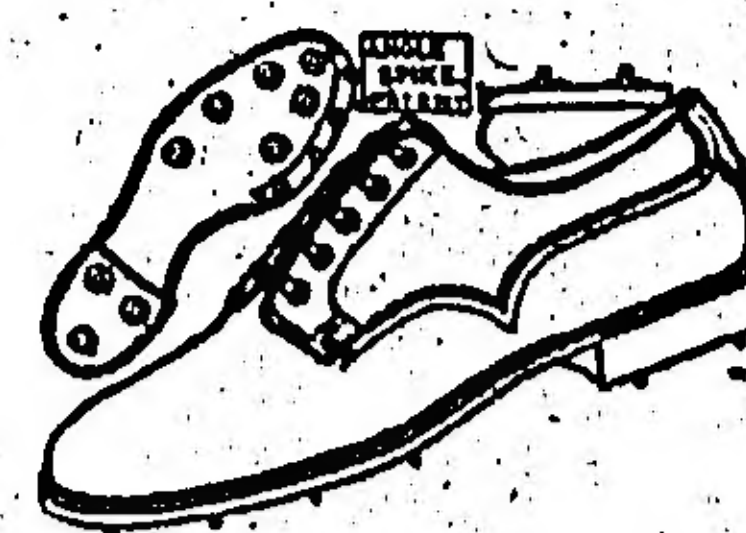
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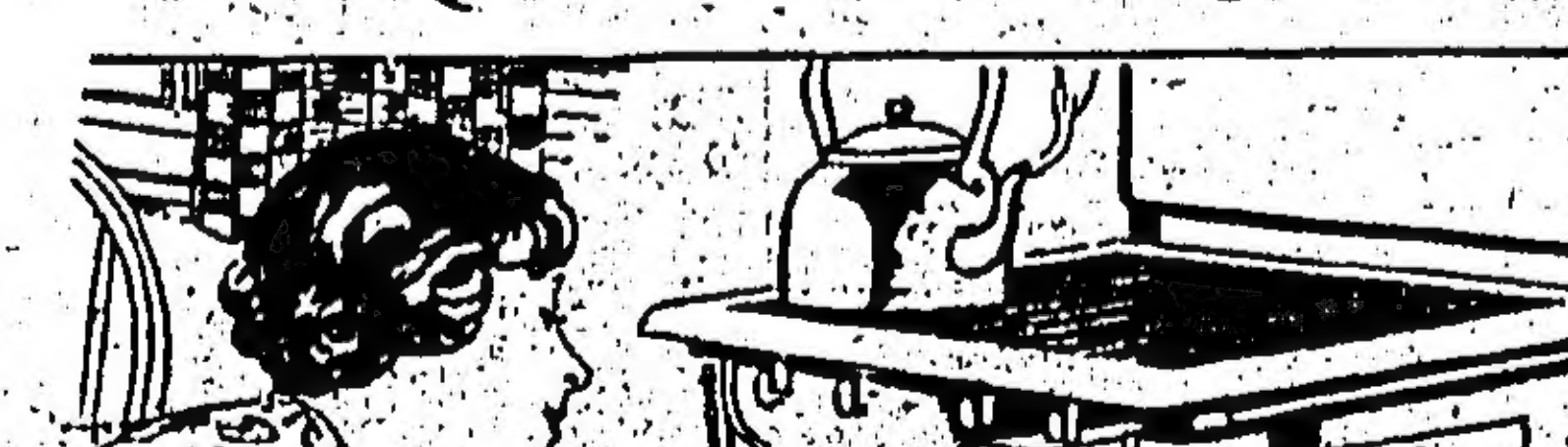
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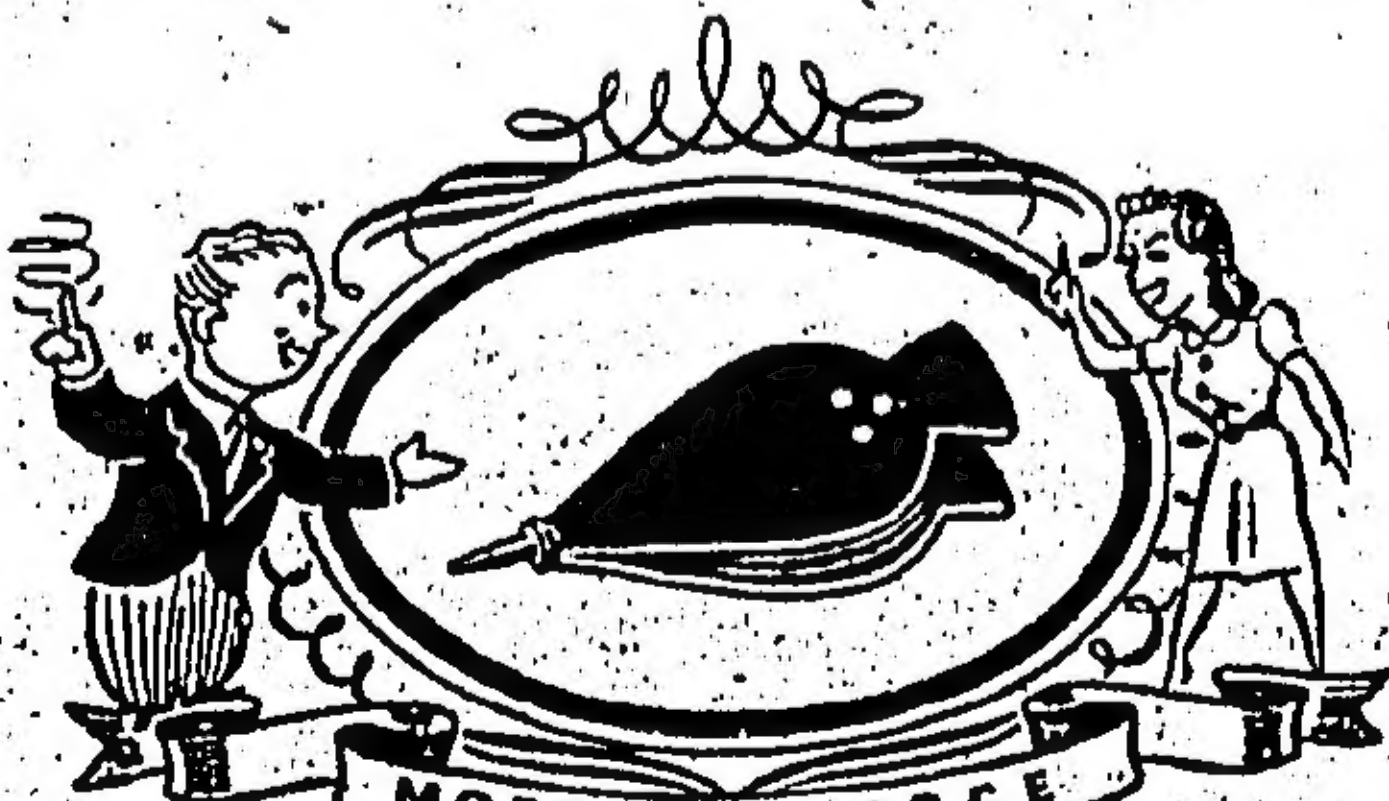
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# MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY

## Kwong Wah Surprise South China 2-0

Dour Defence Defeats  
Tricky Forward Tactics  
Fast And Exciting Game

(By "SCRAMBLER")

THANKS TO A stubborn and spirited defence ably led by Lee Kwok-wai, ex-South China star, Kwong Wah were able to cause the first major upset of the season when they beat South China, last season's senior league Champions, by two goals to nil at Caroline Hill yesterday.

But in fairness to the losers, it must be stated that at one period of the game when the winners were leading by only one, Lee Tak-kee and Chau Man-chi had Kwong Wah completely beaten only to see the shots rebounding to play after striking the cross and upright bars.

On the whole, the winners thoroughly deserved their win if only for their spirited display, and when South China were at one time all over them, they refused to give in, and heroic efforts of Lee Kwok-wai, ably assisted by Fok Yiu-wah and Yeung Tse-cheung and the excellent goal-keeping of Lee Kwok-kee frustrated all South China's efforts.

South China were the more pushed team on view, but tactics such as adopted by several of their players were somewhat detrimental to their game. On the whole, South China's defence played as well as was to be expected, and it was only the atrocious luck that defeated them.

Kwong Wah had a dour defence. Never at any period did their men falter, and Lee Kwok-wai kept such a wary eye over the redoubtable Lee Wal-long that the latter was reduced to insignificance throughout. Never did the Kwong Wah player lift a foot wrongly throughout, and he was really the sheet anchor in Kwong Wah's team.

Excellent support was forthcoming from Fok Yiu-wah who kept Lee Shek-yuk and Chau Man-chi under very strict surveillance, with the result that the deft touches so much associated with this pair were absolutely missing. Yeung Tse-cheung went about his work unobtrusively, and lent his wing halves support whenever needed. Chung Fui-lam and Leung Pak-wai were also sound, the latter had Chin Chi-fai well under control.

### Fatal Blunder

South China made that fatal blunder in concentrating too much on Chan Tak-fai, and although this player was unable to do much himself, he made openings for his inside men. Cheuk Gok-kam was the live wire in the attack, and he was seen to good advantage when on the run. Both wings were only mediocre, perhaps the importance of the occasion had somewhat overruled them.

South China had only themselves to blame for the result of the game.

### SPORTS ADVT.

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting to be held (weather permitting) on Friday, 10th and Saturday, 11th October, 1941, may be obtained from the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables; Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 2nd October, 1941.

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S. A. SLEAP,  
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### Cricket

#### PROMISING PLAYERS AMONG NAVAL YARD POLICE

PROMISING MATERIAL was shown in the Royal Naval Yard Police cricket team which met and defeated the Police R.C. in a friendly game of cricket at Happy Valley yesterday.

One of the opening batsmen (R. Burns) retiring after scoring 53, and with the other contributing 20 (H. Jackson) the naval Yard Police opened their innings in a healthy manner, and it was not surprising that they totalled 167 for 7 wickets and declared.

Apart from A. Kirby (25) and A. Carey (15) no other civil Police-man reached double-figures, and the naval men won by 64 runs.

The Naval Police side included several of the Australian men who have recently joined the force, and it was a very impressive initial turn-out.

R. Burns scored freely and reached the boundary on 10 occasions. T. Willard carried his bat for 28, while Duddridge knocked off 30 including five fours.

Kirby and Carey were the only P.R.C. batsmen to reach double figures, the former scoring 25 including five boundaries. Scores were:

H. Jackson, b. Forrest ..... 53  
R. Burns, retired ..... 53  
L. Collett, b. Clement ..... 20  
J. Funnell, c. Tyler, b. Danbrowsky ..... 15  
R. Moore, c. Tyler, b. Danbrowsky ..... 15  
W. Willard, c. Kirby, b. Danbrowsky ..... 28  
H. Smith, c. Nicholl, b. Shepherd ..... 10  
R. Duddridge, c. Tyler, b. White ..... 30  
G. Tait, not out ..... 10  
Extras (B.B.) ..... 6

Total (for 7 wks. dec.) ..... 167  
W. McGrath and Bellamy did not bat.

Bowling Analysis: M. R. W.  
White ..... 9 2 30  
Carey ..... 4 1 21  
Forrest ..... 3 1 17  
Clement ..... 3 1 24  
Danbrowsky ..... 3 1 24  
Shepherd ..... 3 1 20  
Tyler, c. Kirby, b. McGrath ..... 15  
A. E. Carey, c. Burns, b. McGrath ..... 15  
J. Shepherd, run out ..... 0  
H. White, c. Burns, b. McGrath ..... 0  
R. Funnell, b. McGrath ..... 0  
G. V. Clement, b. Collett ..... 4  
P. Salter, b. McGrath ..... 1  
T. Willard, b. Kirby, b. Collett ..... 28  
J. Funnell, b. Kirby, b. Collett ..... 1  
H. J. Douche, b. Smith ..... 1  
A. Billingham, not out ..... 10  
Extras (B.B.) ..... 6

Total ..... 73  
Bowling Analysis: C. M. R. W.  
Collett ..... 6 0 11  
McGrath ..... 4 2 11  
Moore ..... 4 2 11  
Willard ..... 3 0 11  
Bellamy ..... 3 0 11  
Smith ..... 2 0 6

#### R.A.P.C. Score 40 And Win By 14 Runs!

PAY SECTIONS of the Army and the Volunteers met in a friendly game of cricket on the Navy ground yesterday, and though only a combined total of 66 runs were scored, a most enjoyable match was played.

The Army team scored a meagre 40 in reply to the Volunteer's 26, and thus won by 14 runs.

Scores were:  
R.A.P.C.—26 (Extras 14, L. Taylor 7 for 3, Murray 3 for 0).  
R.A.P.C.—40 (Taylor 16, Happe 10, Hemming 2 for 8, Pinky 2 for 9, Clark 2 for 6).

As from the start most of their players took matters lightly and indulged in childish pranks when in possession.

The two backs, while the intermediate trio worked hard and had the Kwong Wah attack well covered during the greater part of the game. Lam Tak-ke delegated himself as a third back; had played policeman to Chan Tak-fai.

The only man really to impress in South China's attack was Lee Tak-kee. He did everything but score, and many of his shots deserved a better fate than those that either just missed the goal or struck the bars. He gave his men good openings and several of his shots went very near.

Well Marked  
Chau Man-chi was not very much like himself, being slow in his movements. Lee Kwok-wai was



Tam Kwan-hon (S. China goalie) leaping to intercept a high corner from Wong King-cheung (Kwong Wah) in the South China-Kwong Wah match at Caroline Hill yesterday.—Ming Yuen.

### Lawn Bowls Championship

## All-Craigengower Pairs Final

### Three Omar Brothers And S. R. Solina Win Semi-Finals Yesterday

CRAIGENGOWER, the League Champions, are well represented for the final of the Open Pairs lawn bowls championship of the Colony all four of the finalists being from that Club. Yesterday, in the semi-finals at the Kowloon F.C. A. M. and U. M. Omar beat L. J. Silva and J. F. V. Ribeiro 25-14, and S. R. Solina and K. M. Omar beat W. L. Walker and R. Duncan 27-22.

The more creditable victory of the two was undoubtedly that of K. M. Omar and Solina, for their opponents, Walker and Duncan, were anticipated finalists. The winners came strongly from behind, being down 21-15 on the 14th and won over the last two hands only.

In the early stages of the game, before either Omar or Solina had settled down, the Bowling Green pair chalked up two 5's—one on the 3rd end and the other on the 7th.

Walker was showing a great superiority over Solina, and Omar was more than matched by Duncan.

From there Walker and Duncan went to 16-10, 20-12 and eventually 21-14, but then commenced the Craigengower pair's winning recovery.

#### Grand Recovery

AN EXCELLENT 4 on the 16th put them within three shots of the opponents (18-21), 2 on the 17th put them one behind (20-21) and the 3 on the 18th put them out in front for the first time, since the second hand (22-21).

Omar had definitely found touch. His first signs of recovery were during the 16th when he trailed the jack with a brilliant shot to register the 4 that put them on the road to victory.

Even after their scoring of 2 on the 20th, which put them 25-22 in the lead, the game was not won, for the last hand featured some great bowling, and it was only finer touch that gave them the right to enter the final.

If only for their form over the last hands, they deserved to win, though on relative form none would have denied credit to Walker and Duncan had they won, instead.

The Bowling Green pair had showed consistency throughout, and were forced to bow to superior bowling in the closing stages.

Scores were:

Solima & Omar: 0, 3, 0, 3, 2, 0, 0, 2, 2, 27  
Walker & Duncan: 2, 0, 5, 0, 0, 1, 5, 0, 2, 22

#### Omar Brothers Through

A. M. AND U. M. OMAR, the other finalists, had an easier passage against L. J. Silva and J. F. V. Ribeiro. For a brief period, from the 6th to 14th ends, the Ribeiro bowlers enjoyed the lead, but the Omar brothers scored on seven of the last 10 hands, and by simply consistent bowling ran out winners at 25-14.

The winners scored two 4's on the 3rd and 18th, and occupied the centre of the picture for the second half of the game.

A. M. Omar had the better of Silva throughout, but for the first seven hands, Ribeiro bowled brilliantly, on several occasions saving the position with excellent

The scores first levelled at 5-11 on the 5th, and from then until the score levelled again at 9-11 on the 10th, the Portuguese pair were in the lead, though slight.

From 11-0, the Omars went to 17-10, 22-11 and 25-12. Silva and Ribeiro succeeded in laying two on the last hand but the game was already over.

Omar: 0, 3, 0, 2, 3, 1, 2, 1, 0, 4, 0, 0, 1, 0, 25  
Silva & Ribeiro: 1, 0, 0, 3, 1, 2, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 2, 14

### Goscombe-O'Sullivan Cup Bowls Matches

The following were the result of yesterday's matches in the Goscombe-O'Sullivan Cup Inter-Departmental Lawn Bowls Competition:

F.W.D. (R. P. Shaw, Robertson, K. B. Robertson, A. Brookbank (skip) beat Medical Department (D. J. Valentine, R. P. Edwards, L. R. Colver and T. Pile (skip) 19-15.

Harbour Department (J. Hooper, J. L. Stephens, V. Chittenden, W. R. Hillyer (skip) beat Police "C" (A. Soutar, C. Pile, F. Channing, J. W. MacDonald (skip) 19-15.

Medical "C" (Dr. G. I. Shaw, C. Strange, S. Ecclehall, H. K. Lockhart (skip) beat Police "A" (H. McLeod, B. Davis, Z. G. Post, J. C. S. Fender (skip) 19-15.

Medical "A" (F. Anslow, Dr. Newton, Dr. Selby, J. McGowan (skip) beat Police "B" (J. Hayward, J. Middel, J. Orem, J. Atken (skip) 22-11.

## Rajputs "A" Second In Miniature Rifle League

### R.A.F. Break Record Again

Results returned for the September 21 period in the First Division of the Hongkong Rifle Association's Miniature Rifle League show that Rajputs "A" have displaced Police "A" as runners-up in the premier division, although with seven matches yet to be shot there is still considerable speculation as to who will achieve the honour.

There seems little doubt, however, that Police Reserve will be the first winners of the Grasett Challenge Trophy.

In Second Division R.E. Stonecutters cannot be quite so confident of annexing the trophy presented by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Pennefather-Evans, as they have still to shoot against Royal Scots "C" Coy. "B" and Police "B" their closest rivals, although R. E. Stonecutters helped them by returning the highest Second Division aggregate of the season to beat Police "B" 370-345.

Royal Air Force once more broke the aggregate record in the Aperture Sight League defeating Police "A" 393-387 and are now well on the way to victory.

Two "Possibles" were returned by Cpl. Henley (R.A.F.) and Sgt Russell (H.K.P.).

Highest Open sight scores of the period were:

A.S.I. P. H. Thong (H.K.P.R.) ..... 90  
Sgt Jones (R.E. Stanley) ..... 90  
Pte Melkile (R. Scots "B" Coy) ..... 90  
2/Lt Bhanwarpal Singh (Rajput "C") ..... 90  
Hav. Chiragh Ahmad (Rajput "E") ..... 90  
Pte Wheilan (R. Scots "B" Coy) ..... 90  
Hav. Abdul Rahman (Rajput "E") ..... 90  
Nk. Ajib Hussain (Rajput "E") ..... 90  
L/Cpl Pemberton (R.E. Stanley) ..... 94  
L/Cpl Burns (R. Scots "B" Coy) ..... 94

Results of matches completed on September 21 were as follows:

FIRST DIVISION—OPEN SIGHTS  
Middlesex "B" (340) v 2nd/14th Punjab "E" (325); 2nd/14th Punjab "D" (335) v H.K. Police "A" (369); 5th/7th Rajput "C" (327) v Royal Scots "B" (341); R.A.F. (354) v 5th/7th Rajput "A" (347); 2nd/14th Punjab "A" (310) v Middlesex "A" (317); H.K.V.D.C. (320) v Royal Scots "A" (307); 5th/7th Rajput "B" (324) v Middlesex "B" (341); 2nd/14th Punjab "C" (301) v 2nd/14th Punjab "B" (310); 5th/7th Rajput "D" (324) v Middlesex "C" (323); 2nd/14th Punjab "E" (310) v Middlesex "D" (328); Middlesex "E" (310) v Royal Scots "D" (307); 5th/7th Rajput "F" (324) v Middlesex "F" (324); and Collinson

R.C. "A" (310) v 40th (F) Coy R.E. (331).  
H.K. Police "B" (350) v R.E. Stanley (370); H.K. Police "C" (344) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K.V.D.C. "B" (303) v R.E. Collinson (310); Royal Scots "C" Coy (329) v Middlesex (329); H.K. Police "D" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "E" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "F" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "G" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "H" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "I" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "J" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "K" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "L" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "M" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "N" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "O" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "P" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "Q" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "R" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "S" (307) v R.E. Stonecutters (344); H.K. Police "T" (307) v R.E. 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IT'S NICE HAVIN' A GUEST CARD AT A PRIVATE BEACH--- BUT NOBODY GIVES US A TUMBLE!

IT'S MEAN!

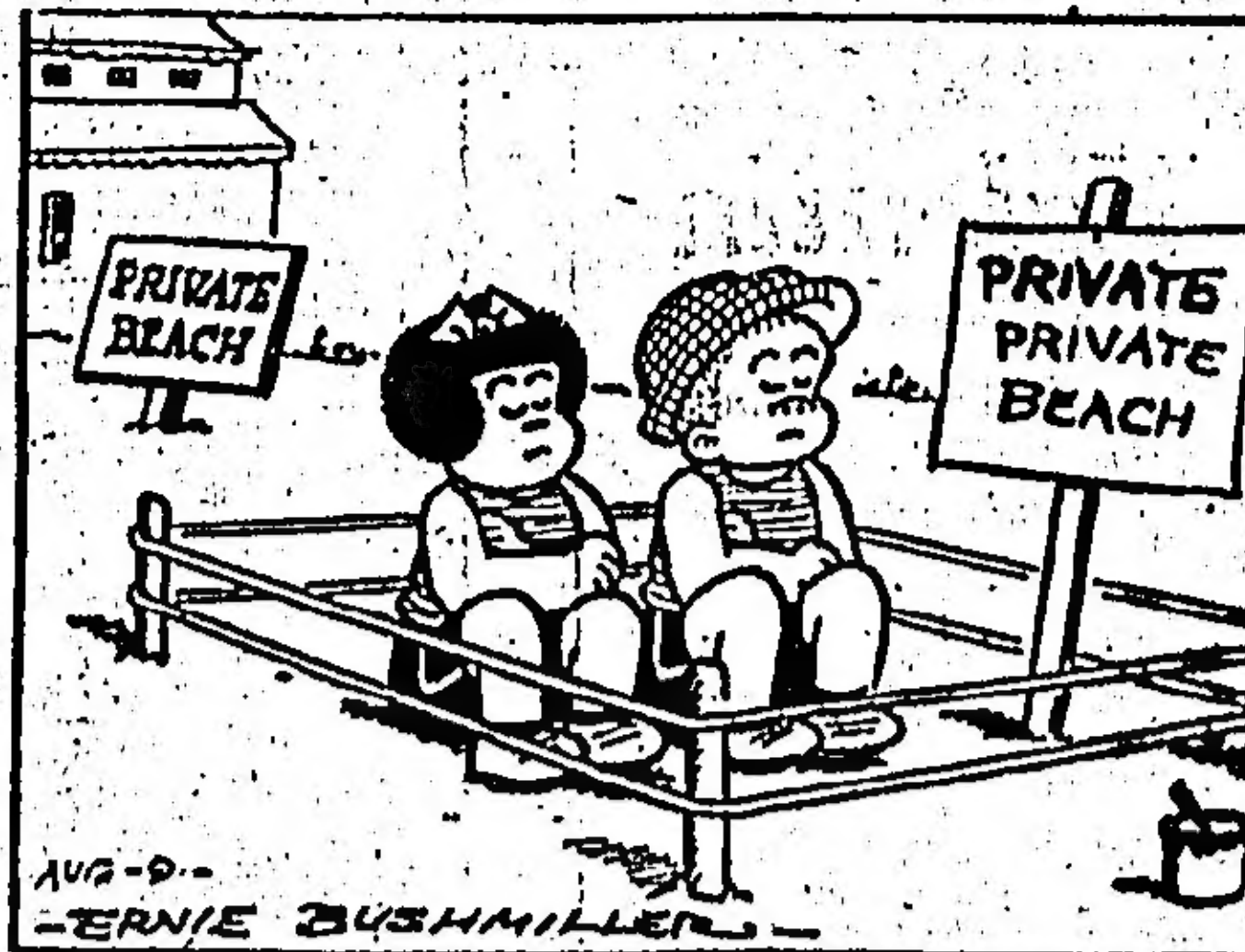


THESE FOLKS THINK THEY'RE BETTER THAN US!

YEAH--- THEY THINK THEY'RE VERY EXCLUSIFF!



LET'S SHOW THEM THAT WE'RE EVEN MORE EXCLUSIFF THAN THEY ARE!



## RUSSIANS TAKE IT CALMLY

"I have just travelled for three days along the rear of the Russian lines, and have found the whole country working at top pitch with complete calmness and confidence in victory," writes an Associated Press correspondent.

"From the Black Sea to Moscow, through regions rarely seen by foreigners, I watched the Soviet Union go to war. The mobilisation was accomplished without any apparent hitch. Black-outs were established effectively, and trains were running promptly to time. Agriculture and industry appeared to be working at top speed.

"The countryside disclosed a striking contrast with that of France a year ago. There was no rush of refugees to tangle transport. In fact, I found it difficult for a civilian to move about the country without real reason. The people were completely calm, and 'war nerves' never reached these remote districts.

"The skies over Central European Russia appeared to be under absolute Soviet control. Passing through Ukraine I saw no German planes, not even scouts, such as penetrated deep into France during the early days of the war.

### Surprise

"News of the war came as a surprise to the provinces. The few people sitting with me on a sunlit terrace at Sochi, on the Black Sea coast, stiffened suddenly and listened open-mouthed to the broadcast of Molotov's speech on Sunday. But successive items of news over the radio brought bursts of cheering and clapping from the steadily growing crowds.

"My train to Moscow was filled with troops. As we skirted the Caucasus rugged, bronzed little mountaineers, clutching a rifle in one hand and a loaf of bread in the other and grinning broadly, climbed aboard the train. At the large stations loudspeakers blared martial music, while at the smaller stops the village musicians played accordions. The beaches close to the Rumanian war sector were closely guarded by 'plumies' which patrolled the North Caucasian plain."

## She Gets Her Film Frocks

First free clothes coupons officially conceded for the show business go to Bebe Daniels, American star of "Hi, Gang!" now being filmed at Islington.

The Board of Trade has not yet admitted that British films are entitled to any clothes concession. But coupons have already been delivered to more than one studio for immediate needs, pending an official rationing scheme for theatres and the screen.

Miss Daniels is having at least two smart evening frocks made with the provisional coupons.

## Hess Now A State Prisoner

Rudolf Hess, who parachuted into Scotland from Germany, is now graded as a "prisoner of State," the highest rank of prisoner during wartime.

Hess was first regarded as a military prisoner. Some weeks later he was graded as a civilian prisoner.

Now he is under detention somewhere in Britain. The decision of the Government to treat Hess as a "prisoner of State" solves many difficulties. If he had been detained as a military prisoner, he would have been paid by this country, under Hague rules, a rate of pay corresponding to what he would receive in Nazi Germany.

Then, what we disbursed as officer's salary would be refunded by Germany after the war. A prisoner of State is entitled to privileges, but whether Hess will get them is not known. It is unlikely that he receives any pay.

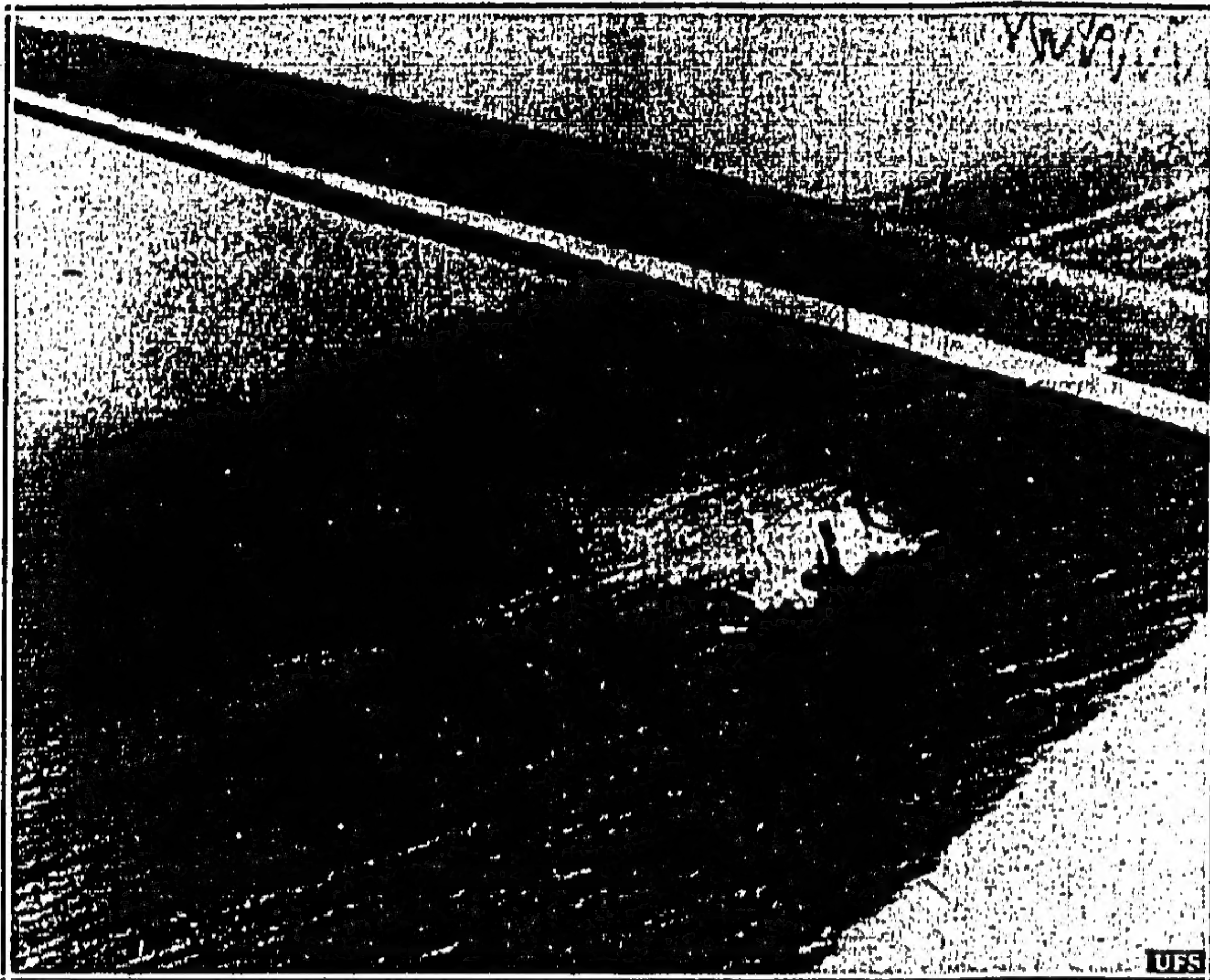
## Stamp Hobby In War-Time

Helps The Nerves

LONDON.—War has caused a small boom in stamp collecting, a hobby that has been found to provide relief from the strains of war. H. R. Harmer, philatelic expert who conducts an auction of rare stamps in London every week, said doctors among the most enthusiastic philatelists, and many recommend the hobby to nervous patients for the black-out.

"Once a person is infected with the collecting germ, the hobby involves deep concentration, which means forgetfulness of outside influence," he said.

"Prices are higher than before the war and some persons are investing their money in stamps, which are a better investment than diamonds." "The number of rare stamps in existence is known and the price internationally is the same," Harmer said. "Thus the owner of a rare stamp can get its value in London, New York, Sydney, Cape Town and, in peacetime, at any continental city.



R.A.F. ATTACKS—Smoke begins to rise from a direct hit on a 500-ton ship of a six-vessel German convoy, which was attacked by R.A.F. bombers flying at great height, in Heligoland Bight in the North Sea.

## Ford Builds First Plastic Automobile

DEARBORN, Michigan, Sept. 27 (UP).—Henry Ford displayed recently a plastic automobile, only the frame, motor and wheels of which are metal. The trim, cream-coloured coach was unveiled at the climax of this community's 15th annual festival.

Henry Ford was not present to hear the cheers as the low-slung machine swung slowly around the lighted field, but he was represented by Robert Allen Boyer, his young research chemist who for 12 years has been experimenting with the manufacturer's idea of utilizing farm products in industry.

Boyer, who is only 32 now, said the plastic car was lighter, tougher and more economical than any on the road. He thought its production in large quantities is "at least" several months—and possibly years—away.

"This is purely in an experimental stage just now," he said. "Naturally we want to get into mass production eventually but that will take time. For one thing, we'd have to build the plastics industry from the ground up."

"Although we've been working with the idea of a plastic car for 12 years, the defence emergency and the shortage of steel and other materials has speeded our programme."

The plastic car is a hand-made model. Its body is made of 32 strips

of plastic mounted on a tubular-welded steel frame, was rushed to the public showing with its interior still unfinished.

The panels have a thickness of only 3/16ths of an inch, but will absorb a blow 10 times as great as steel without denting, Ford officials said. They would not reveal the formula of the plastic used.

Production of 1,000,000 cars annually with plastic bodies, Boyer said, would consume at least 170,000 tons of agricultural products and 50,000 tons of synthetic chemicals. Moreover, it would free thousands of tons of steel and strategic materials for defence.

A completely new engine has been designed for the car and now is under test. Boyer declined to reveal its specifications. It is now powered by a 60-horsepower V-8 engine.

It has a wheelbase of 110 inches, stands 63 1/2 inches high, five to six inches less than most automobiles. Although it now weighs 2,300 pounds Boyer said the weight eventually would be reduced less than one ton, or about 1,300 pounds less than a steel car of comparable size.

Ford said he was confident plastic bodies could be produced practically and economically.

"Plastic raw materials may cost a little more," he said, "but we anticipate a considerable saving as the result of fewer fabricating and finishing operations."

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Ford himself tested the durability of a plastic panel 18 months ago by swinging an axe upon it. It remained intact. When the same experiment was made upon a steel panel the axe cut through the metal.

## Few Tourists Go To Bali Now

BATAVIA, Java (UP).—Beautiful Bali, whose bare beaches and beautiful bays beckoned travellers from afar, has had its tourists boom blighted by the war.

Statistics show that this glamorous island of the Netherlands East Indies had only 1,382 visitors in 1940, and of these only 600 were foreigners. This compares with 4,104 tourists, many of them Americans, in 1939. Where cruise ships once called with time-table regularity at Bali, not a single such excursion vessel dropped anchor last year.

## Ersatz Found For Tung Oil

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (UP).—Two University of Minnesota chemists have developed a process that may materially reduce this nation's dependence on China for tung oil, an important shellac and varnish base.

Drs George O. Burr and J. Peter Kass believe that by their process fats from common native sources, such as corn and linseed, can be made to assume the properties of the imported tung oil.

The process, Burr says, is similar to that used in making soap. It involves heating of the common oils for long periods and at high temperatures.

"The heating when carried out under certain conditions, so changes the fat structure as to make it more readily oxidized," he explained.

"This faster oxidation which is what makes Chinese tung oil superior to common oils as a paint base, leads to faster drying and a better surface when the treated oils are mixed with shellacs and varnishes."

Kass and Burr have found that the treated oil produces a varnish that dries into a smooth, tough, non-creasing finish in approximately two days—twice as fast as that mixed with non-treated oils. Tung oil also does the job in two days.

The Minnesota men's process assumes particular importance now because of the increasing difficulty of obtaining tung oil from a war-strained China.

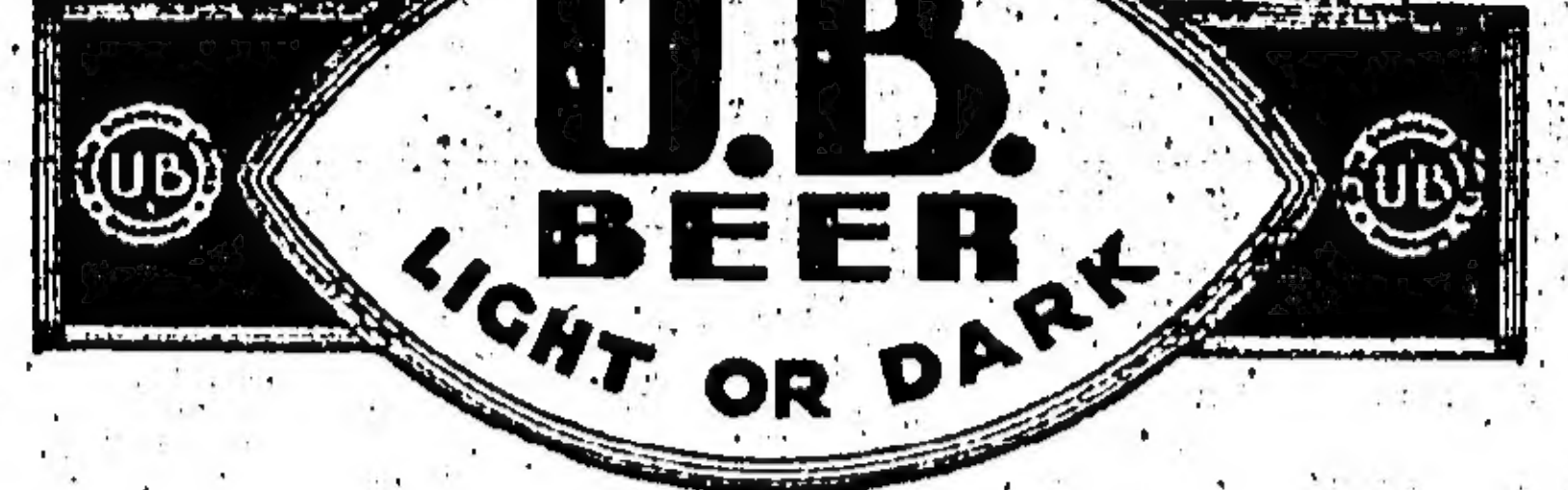
So far, Kass said, the process is not being used commercially. A number of plants are investigating its possibilities, however, and initial work with it appears to have been satisfactory.

A patent covering the process provides that the product obtained may be used in place of tung oil in varnishes, paints, drying waxes and incoatings.

## PARLIAMENT SQUARE HAY

Men with scythes cut the long grass in Parliament Square recently. Mr. George Hicks, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Works and Buildings, who went to superintend, at one time took a hand himself. "There hasn't been anything like it in Parliament Square since Henry the Eighth's time," commented

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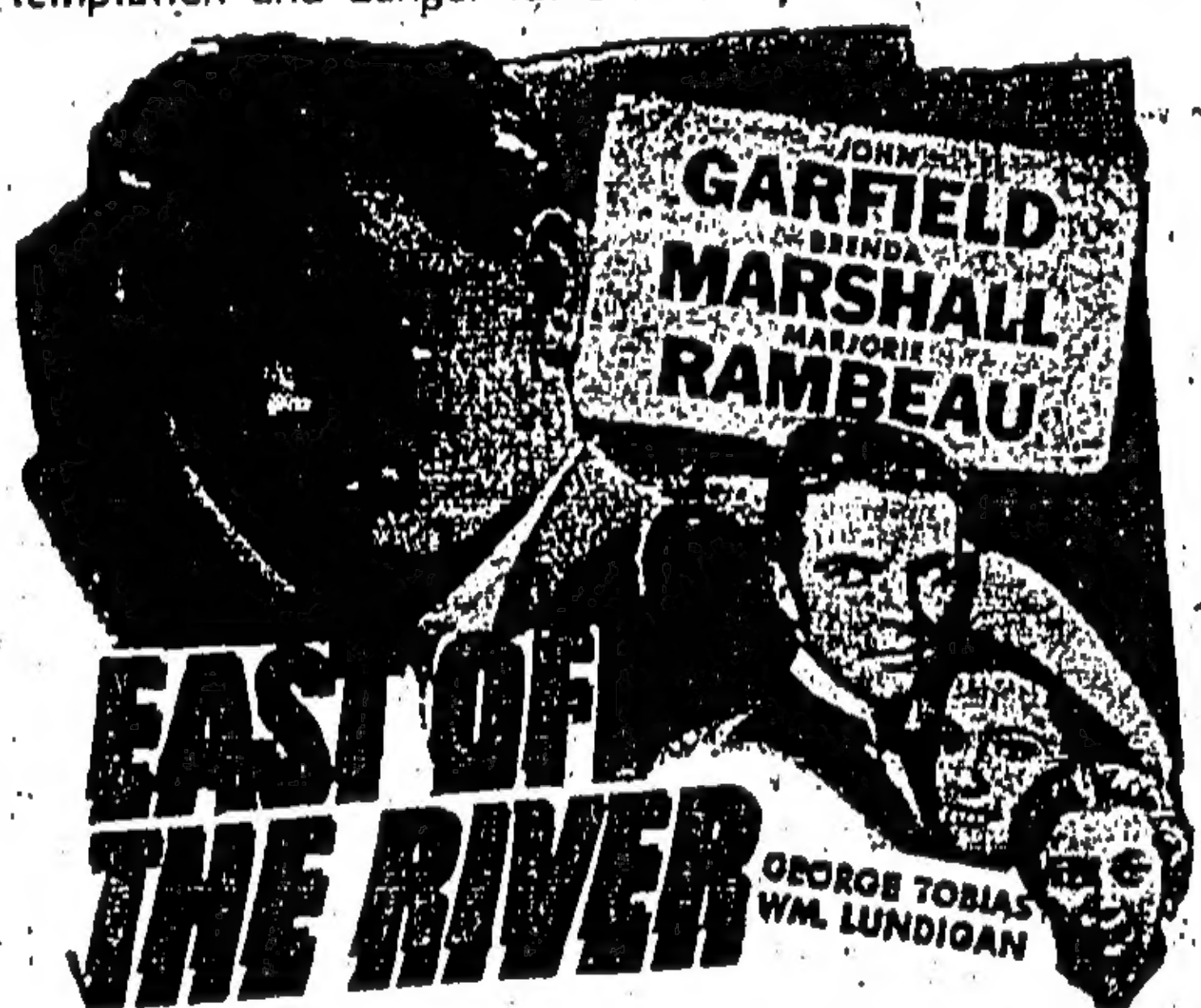
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## New Tank Is Named Valentine

British craftsmen are now making Valentines. But the message the Valentines will take to the Nazis is not one of greetings, but of death—death to the Panzer divisions.

For the Valentines are now killer tanks, younger but more deadly brothers of the Waltzing Matildas that played havoc with the German tanks in the Western Desert recently.

They are 10-ton heavy infantry tanks, fast, heavily armed and armoured, and they can "kill" any tank as yet met in any German armoured formations.

Originally this new tank was officially known as Mark III, but then Lord Beaverbrook went to the Ministry of Supply—and Valentine is the Christian name of one of Lord Beaverbrook's friends, one of the heaviest peers in Britain.

Now that Valentine has gone into service, details that have been secret have been issued by the Ministry of Supply.

In the main turret, besides a Besa heavy machine-gun, is a two-pounder capable of piercing any German tank yet met.

The tank carries a crew of three, is very manoeuvrable, and has a road speed of more than 15 miles an hour.

War Office experts who have tested it claim that it will cruise across open country like a car on a good road.

## Rich Captain Hard Hit By "Freezing"

Stating that he owns property in Canada and is worth \$250,000 in Shanghai, but that the Dominion Government will not release him a cent, a 78-year-old ex-master mariner recently protested in Vancouver that he and his wife have been very poorly treated.

They have been petitioning for permission to return to their home in Shanghai, but all their assets were frozen in the recent Oriental-Canadian development, because he held most of his funds in Oriental banks and properties.

"In fact," declared the indignant captain "they advised my wife to go on the dole. They called me a quitter. Me a quitter!"

"I'm going right to a lawyer," declared her husband, and they went away to do just that.

## Nazis Stage Trial In Sofia

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The trial of 35 spies and saboteurs will begin on October 20 before the district court at Sofia, states the German news agency.

They are accused of having been in the service of Britain and the former Yugo-Slav state and having prepared a revolt in Bulgaria last spring.

The agency adds: "There are five foreigners among the accused, including Mr Norman Davies, the Press Attache in the British Legation at Sofia. The chief accused is George Dimitrov."

## LATE NEWS



HIGH FLIER—Because of the great height at which they fly, British airmen operating the U. S.-built long-range bombers must breathe through these forbidding oxygen masks. This pilot had just returned from a flight at 30,000 feet.

## WOP GUN GETS HEINKEL

Lt. A. Palmer and his crew have just been congratulated by Adm Sir Andrew Cunningham, Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean, for shooting down a Heinkel. Lt. Palmer's ship is the captured Italian schooner Maria Giovanna, and his gun and ammunition also belong to the Fascist Government, says a message from Alexandria.

"In fact," he said, "I don't think I have ever used a round of British Government ammunition in that ship."

An Australian merchant officer with a tanned, good-humoured face that has beamed its way through every port and lagoon in the South Seas, Palmer might well have stepped from the pages of Somerset Maugham.

"He told me: 'Boy, you should have been with me. It was mighty fun. There was my old tub loaded to the scuppers with explosives, in fact everything that nobody else would dream of carrying.'"

"When we saw these two birds come over the water, I said to my boys, 'Now, by heck, you have gotta fight like you have never fought before, or you and I will be meeting upstairs in a few minutes, and I know none of you caves can play harps.'"

"I took the wheel—and started swinging poor old Maria Giovanna as she had never had helm before. Jerry thought we were a piece of apple pie and came down to look at us."

"Leading fellow circles round to give 'em the works when our forward gunner turns the hose on him. Boy, we gave him 25 of Mussa's best little 12-millimetre shells right in his ribs."

"Almighty splash!"

"Bits and pieces flew in every direction, black smoke poured out of him, and he put his nose straight down into the sea with an almighty splash."

"I had no time to do anything more about him, for his mate came for us. He never gave us the same chance, but tried from all heights for nearly an hour to get us. I thought he'd never run out of bombs."

## SERBS NOT CRUSHED

Patriotic Revolt Takes Form Of Sabotage

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The reply of the Serbian patriots to the appeal of Neditch, the Yugo-Slav Quisling Premier, to lay down their arms and surrender to the Germans has been to redouble their acts of sabotage and violence.

The Germans sent three new divisions into the country in an effort to counter the patriots' activities, but despite this, bridges continue to be blown up and railway lines are daily destroyed.

Other travellers from Serbia confirm that the principal railway line between Belgrade and Nish has again been sabotaged.

According to the Zagreb newspaper "Novilist," all traffic on railways in Bosnia has been suspended.

## Papen In Ankara

ANKARA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Responsible quarters deny that Franz von Papen, the German Ambassador, has asked for an interview with the Turkish President, but he is expected to see the Foreign Minister, M. Sarajoglu, and the Secretary-General, M. Menemcnloglu, to-morrow.

HUDDERSFIELD, England.—If all the hens were like Mrs H. Lall's two-year-old Black Minorca, there would be no egg shortage in Great Britain. This noble chicken laid several eggs in one day, six of normal size and one small. None had shells.

## EMERGENCY IN MORAVIA

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).

A state of emergency was proclaimed in six districts of the protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia this morning, according to the official German news agency.

A message from Prague to Berlin states that Dr Elias, Premier of the protectorate government, has been arrested on charges of high treason.

## Spirit Of Revolt Alarms Germans

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radio spokesman, to the "V" army to "go slow" is having its effect everywhere in the protectorate, even among officials, according to the Free Czech radio station, Nazdar.

Strikes have broken out in many factories and munition works, including the works at Jincek, which used to produce aero-engines and which is now producing producing turbines; the big Ipen electrical works at Koniggratz; the Praga works in Prague as well as textile factories at Koniggratz.

The Gestapo arrested members of the Workers' Councils and threatened to shoot them if the strikers did not return to work. The strikers retorted by threatening never to work again if any of the arrested men were harmed.

Other cases of sabotage reported from the protectorate include: mysterious breakdowns, train derailments, "misunderstanding" of orders in factories, delivery of wrong goods at factories and works and the breaking of machine tools in factories.

The sign of the tortoise—the V Army's "go slow" symbol—appears everywhere in Czech towns.

## Chinese Command Shows Confidence

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day announced that Japanese forces were advancing along the North River into North Kwangtung with little Chinese resistance.

"Domel" declared that successful conclusion of the drive would give the Japanese control of the entire length of the Canton-Hankow Railway when linked up with the Japanese occupation of Changsha, indicating that the Japanese may be planning the largest offensive since the fall of Hankow in 1938, aimed ultimately at severing South China into two sectors lying east and west of the Canton-Hankow Railway.

Heavy Fighting

CHANGSHA, Sept. 28 (8 p.m.).—The Chinese troops are still holding out north of the Laotuo River, at Shihitezu and Huanghuashih outside Changsha.

Apart from Japanese bombings, the situation to-day was comparatively quiet.

Several hundreds of Japanese plain-clothes men sneaked through the Chinese first-line of defence to the northeast suburbs of Changsha last night. They were completely annihilated this morning.

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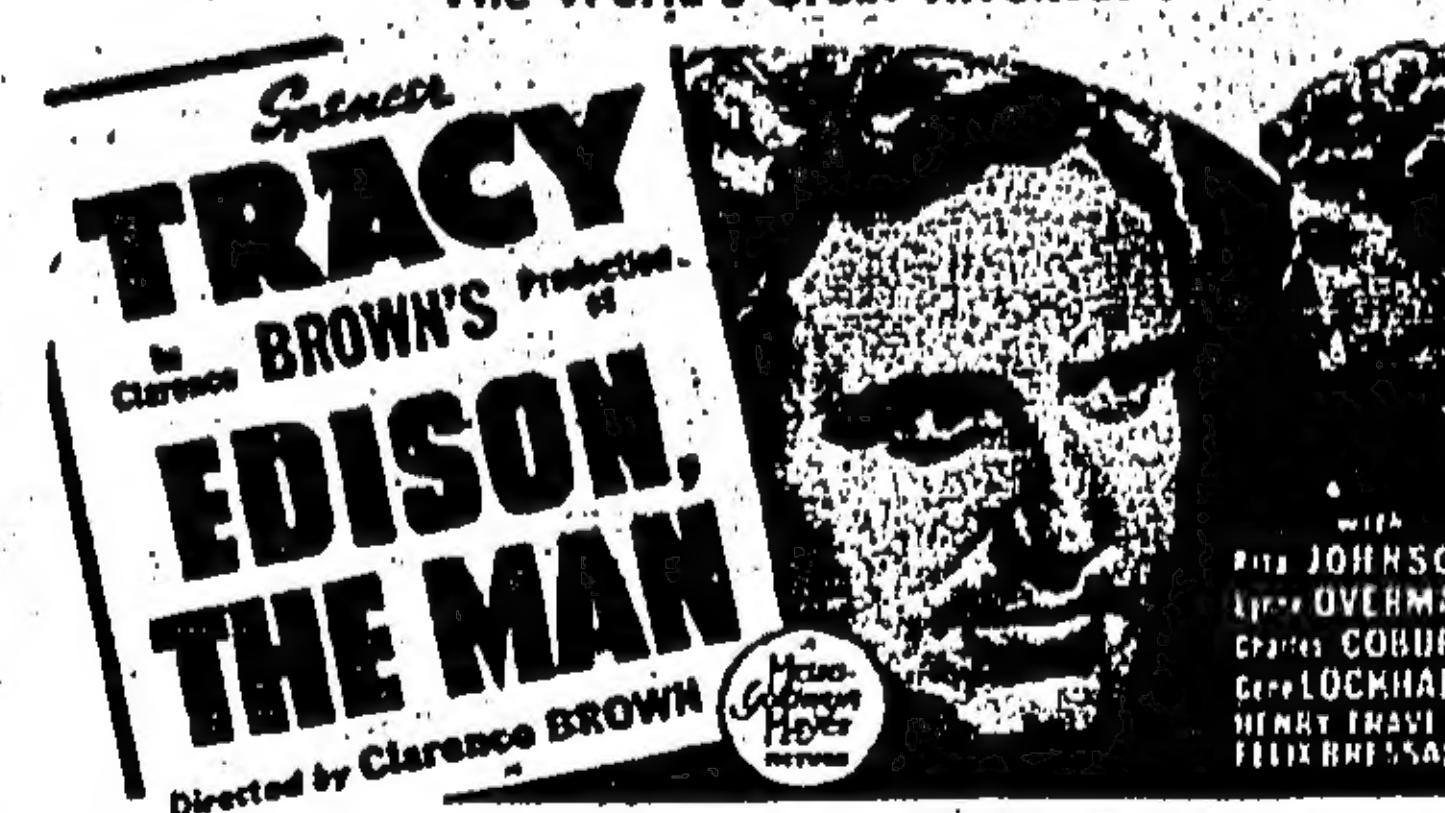
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## LENINGRAD SITUATION IMPROVES: STRONG RED COUNTER-ATTACKS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

MOSCOW, SEPT. 28 (UP).—THE POSITION AT LENINGRAD APPEARS TO HAVE SOMEWHAT IMPROVED ON SUNDAY. DISPATCHES REPORTED STIFFENING RESISTANCE AND THE GROWING STRENGTH OF THE RUSSIAN COUNTER-ATTACKS. IN SEVERAL SUB-SECTORS THE RUSSIANS BROKE THROUGH THE NAZI DEFENCES CONSISTING OF SEVERAL LINES OF TRENCHES 150 METRES APART AND SEIZED THE FORTIFIED POSITION.

The Germans appeared to have advanced nowhere. The "Red Star" in a dispatch asserted that Leningrad itself had become an invulnerable bastion and that every inhabitant had become a warrior. The city's approaches consist of an elaborate system of barricades including dug-outs and pillboxes which are everywhere. Factories have been organised on military lines and individual shops are now constituting companies and platoons under the command of former managers.

### WORLD'S GREATEST BATTLES

No Soviet Weakening

WAR COMMENTARY BY "ANNALIST"

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—

The war on the eastern front enters its 15th week to-day. For 98 days Soviet forces have been exposed to the full weight of the German military machine. Over a zone nearly 2,000 miles long, German panzers, and Stukas, with infantry support, have hammered and battered at the Russian lines with never-ceasing pressure. Millions of men have been engaged in this titanic struggle, which is undoubtedly the greatest battle ever known. Yet although the Russians have lost ground and have suffered a grievous loss in men and material, at no point of their far-flung battle line has their front been pierced nor is there any sign of weakening in their power of resistance.

### Impregnable Bastion

In the fighting itself, there has been no important development in the last 24 hours. Leningrad is still holding strongly and Odessa is proving an equally impregnable bastion. Fighting in the central sector has slackened, probably because the ubiquitous mud is hampering operations.

But in the south, the German assaults do not seem to have made any impression on the Russians. Nor is there any talk of any further advance towards the Donetz. Marshal Budennyi seems to have succeeded in re-grouping his forces before Kharkov which may prove the next German objective in addition to the Crimea.

### Element of Time

The Germans now claim that all resistance behind their advance lines east of Kiev has been annihilated. The process has taken just ten days on their own showing and losses have probably not been one-sided. In spite of the exhaustion which must be beginning to tell upon the Germans as much as on the Russians, it is obvious that the High Command cannot break off the struggle at this juncture and give the troops a rest. The element of time is becoming more and more acute, especially in the operations at Leningrad.

A London message states that according to authoritative quarters, the fact that the Germans have made no new claims in the Ukraine and Crimea could be construed as a favourable factor and also that rain is continuing to fall along the entire front. Fighting continues in the strongly defended Crimea.

### Moscow Communique

Moscow announced in a communique that 18 tanks, 41 armoured cars with ammunition, ten mine-sweeping batteries were destroyed, hundreds of prisoners were taken, 46 guns, 19 mine-throwers, 66 machine-guns, two radio outfits and a large amount of rifles have been captured. The Russian forces continued fighting on all fronts. After seven days of fighting on the western sector, the Russians commanded by Comrade Tokaevich forced the Germans to leave their reinforced positions. Eighteen infantry companies were annihilated and 2,300 German officers and men were left dead on the battlefield.

### Midnight Bulletin

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The Soviet midnight communique states: "On September 28 our troops fought the enemy along the whole front. On September 26, 98 German aircraft were destroyed. We lost 30 aircraft. The Northern Fleet sank two enemy ironclads of 8,000 tons and 4,000 tons respectively. Coastal batteries and ships of the Baltic Fleet sank an enemy cruiser, one destroyer and heavily damaged two other destroyers. On September 27, two German reconnaissance planes were brought down over Moscow and on September 28 two enemy bombers."

### Russians Advance

MOSCOW, Sept. 28 (UP).—Following the local counter-offensive at Staraya Russa, 125 miles south of Leningrad, due west of the Moscow-Leningrad railroad, the Russians have pierced the German fortifications, advanced and captured five villages, according to the "Red Star." Fierce fighting is still raging in this sector.

### Sir Mark Young Visits Police Headquarters

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Mark Young, accompanied by his A.D.C., Captain S. H. Batty-Smith, visited and inspected Central Police Headquarters this morning. Sir Mark was received by the Police Commissioner, Hon. Mr. Pennefather-Evans and Mr. W. R. Scott, Director, Criminal Investigation Department, and he then proceeded to make a detailed inspection of the police station and administrative offices.

### LATEST

See Back Page For Further Late News

## Nazis Urging Japan To Go To War With Russia

SHANGHAI, Sept. 29 (Reuter).—The American owned "China Press" carries a statement attributed to a source in Tokyo that Germany is exercising pressure on Japan through Fascist Japanese Army officers in favour of an immediate clash with Russia.

Prince Konoye, says the report, is losing confidence in the policy of aggrandisement through aggression. His views are stated to have clashed uncompromisingly with Fascist army and navy officers.

Meanwhile the attitude of the administration is cautious, feeling that Germany is by no means victor in Russia, yet and that for Japan to tackle Russia's powerful Far Eastern army would involve giving second place to the China war and the southward drive.

## USUAL WEEKLY DRUBBING

Raids On Italian Bases

CAIRO, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The R.A.F. had a busy time between Friday night and Saturday night, bombing and machine-gunning targets at Sardinia, Sicily, Taranto, Palermo, Agrigento, Bardia and Mersa Luki.

## OPERATIONS OF WEEK BY RAF

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—R.A.F. operations over Germany and occupied territory during the week ending at dawn on September 28 were much reduced by unfavourable weather.

Strong forces of bombers and fighters made successful attacks in daylight on September 21 on the power station at Gosnay and railway objectives at Lille. In all 24 German fighters were destroyed in these operations for the loss of 13 British fighters, but two British pilots were saved and no bombers were lost.

News was released this week of the new Hurricane equipped with powerful armament of 12 guns and four cannons. They have gained further successes against enemy shipping.

### Shipping Attacked

In daylight on September 26, they attacked four mine-sweepers and two anti-aircraft ships, probably destroying two mine-sweepers and damaging the anti-aircraft ships. British fighters also sank a patrol vessel off the French coast. The Coastal Command also made successful attacks on enemy ships off the coast of Norway. A 5,000-ton supply ship was hit and a 6,000-ton supply ship is also believed to have been hit.

Docks at Calais, Dunkirk, and Boulogne were raided by Bomber Command aircraft as were also objectives at Cologne and Western Germany.

### Over N. France

In the afternoon of September 27, a big air sweep over France of Blenheims with a fighter escort was made. The railway centre at Amiens and the railway junction near Lavasse were bombed with good results. Twenty-one enemy fighters were destroyed to 13 British.

### Our Fighters Over France

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—R.A.F. fighters to-day carried out offensive patrols over Occupied France. Attacks were made with cannon fire on a supply train and also two petrol wagons which were set alight.

Aircraft on the ground, troops and machine-gun posts were also attacked and an anti-aircraft gun was silenced, says the Air Ministry. No British aircraft was missing.

It is now known that one of the British fighters reported lost in the operations over Northern France on Saturday afternoon is safe. There was no enemy activity over Britain during daylight to-day.

## Italian Fortress Falls

LONDON, Sept. 28 (British Wire- less).—An Italian communique states: "In East Africa, the garrison of Wolcheit stronghold which has been besieged since April 15 and has now been without food supplies for a number of days, received orders to cease hostilities."

"Crowning their brilliant offensive and defensive action, Italian soldiers carried out a last audacious sortie during which they faced and set to flight enemy forces which were superior in numbers and on which they inflicted heavy losses. "In other sectors of the Gondar front, attempted enemy attacks have been promptly repulsed by efficient Italian reaction."

### Minister Arrives In London

LONDON, Sept. 28 (UP).—The United States Minister to Dublin, Mr. David Gray, has arrived in London.

## Chinese High Command Shows Fine Confidence

Special to the "Telegraph"

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (UP).—It is authoritatively stated that the Chinese High Command is very confident of a large-scale success in the Changsha battle, regardless of the fate of the city as the Chinese are employing large armies, including considerable reinforcements for one of the biggest mopping-up moves against six Japanese divisions.

The authorities said that a quick victory was unlikely the Chinese objective requiring steam-roller efforts. It is reliably stated that Japanese plainclothes soldiers have been rounded up in the immediate Changsha defence sector this afternoon.

A military spokesman said that he had conversed over the telephone with General Hsueh Yuen this afternoon who reported that bloody fighting was raging on the outskirts of Changsha where six Japanese divisions were doing their utmost to occupy the city, while Japanese fifth columnists were working inside the city. He reported that Chinese bombers heavily attacked the Japanese forces at Changsha to-day.

### Japanese Claims

SHANGHAI, Sept. 28 (UP).—The Japanese South China Command turned to back page, Column 3.

## Spirit Of Revolt Among Czech Alarms Germans

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Faced by a mounting tide of sabotage, passive resistance and revolt among the people of Czechoslovakia, the 68-year-old Baron von Neurath, for two and a half years the Nazi "Protector" of that country, has handed his task over to a young Black Guard Group Leader, Reinhard Heydrich. Second-in-Command of the Secret Police.

## Germans From Iran Arrive In Turkey

ANKARA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Four hundred and fifty Axis women, children and staff of the German Legation from Teheran passed through Ankara to-day. The train was met by Frau Clodius wife of Hitler's trade negotiator, the Bulgarian Minister and representatives of the Italian and Hungarian Missions.

The women said that the lorry drive from Teheran to the frontier took eight days, during which they were constantly stopped and searched by the Russians who, they alleged, took their watches, shoes, furs and jewellery, leaving each person only one suit.

The majority of the travellers were very poorly dressed but several women wore furs and jewels, suggesting that the stories of the Russian treatment were greatly exaggerated. The German Embassy provided lunch for the refugees who looked TURN to Back Page, Column 5

## TANKS! Britain's Record Effort for Soviet

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—"Tank production during "Tanks for Russia" week was nearly 20 per cent. higher than the previous week, which itself provided an all-time record, states the Ministry of Supply.

Saturday's tank output was the highest daily production rate ever reached and the last three days of the week produced more tanks than any previous three days.

A Ministry of Supply official stated that targets had been set for every tank and plane in the country—targets which were even higher than the peak objectives of last week.

### Workers' Pledge

Throughout the week-end, telegrams and telephone calls had been pouring into the Ministry from tank factories, foundries and steel-works, etc., in which workers pledged themselves to do their utmost to exceed last week's record production this week.

Ministry of Supply experts have planned a rapidly expanding tank production programme covering every process of manufacture. This programme is based on a long term policy for a constant flow of those types selected for immediate needs by the Soviet Government and also to maintain simultaneously the increasing requirements of Britain's own swiftly-expanding armoured fighting forces.

## Photographic Contest

Judges Named

The following gentlemen have undertaken to act as Judges in the Eleventh Photographic Competition organised by the "Hongkong Telegraph": Mr. Walter Clark, R.N.S., E. A. Von Kobza-Nagy, R.N.S., Dr. H. F. Bunjo and Major R. L. Herdridge, R.N.S. It is worthy of note that Von Kobza-Nagy has assisted with the judging since the inception of the competition.

Competitors are reminded that all entries must be handed in at the "Telegraph" Office, Morning Post Building not later than 5 p.m. tomorrow, September 30.

## RATIONING IN ITALY New Restrictions Announced

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

ROME, Sept. 28 (UP).—The Ministry of Agriculture to-day issued instructions to dairy retail shops to divide their stocks of cheese equally among their clients, selling not more than half a kilo to each family daily.

Sunday morning newspapers commenting on measures passed by the Council of Ministers yesterday generally point out that they are aimed at reinforcing the internal front.

The press admits that bread rationing will be unpopular but states that the Italians are willing to face this and other sacrifices for ultimate victory. Furthermore, they affirm that the financial measures were passed to assure the nation's workers that no one will be permitted to profit while the majority are making sacrifices.

## Sequel To d'Aguilar Tragedy

An inquiry into the circumstances attending the death of Bombardier Dennis Edward Smith of the Hongkong Volunteers, will open at 3 o'clock this afternoon before Mr. H. G. Sheldon, sitting as Coroner at the Central Magistracy.

Bombardier Smith died after an accident at Cope d'Aguilar on August 12, when a lorry in which he was travelling ran over a steep embankment.

## Woman Golf Champion Killed By Burglars

Special to the "Telegraph"

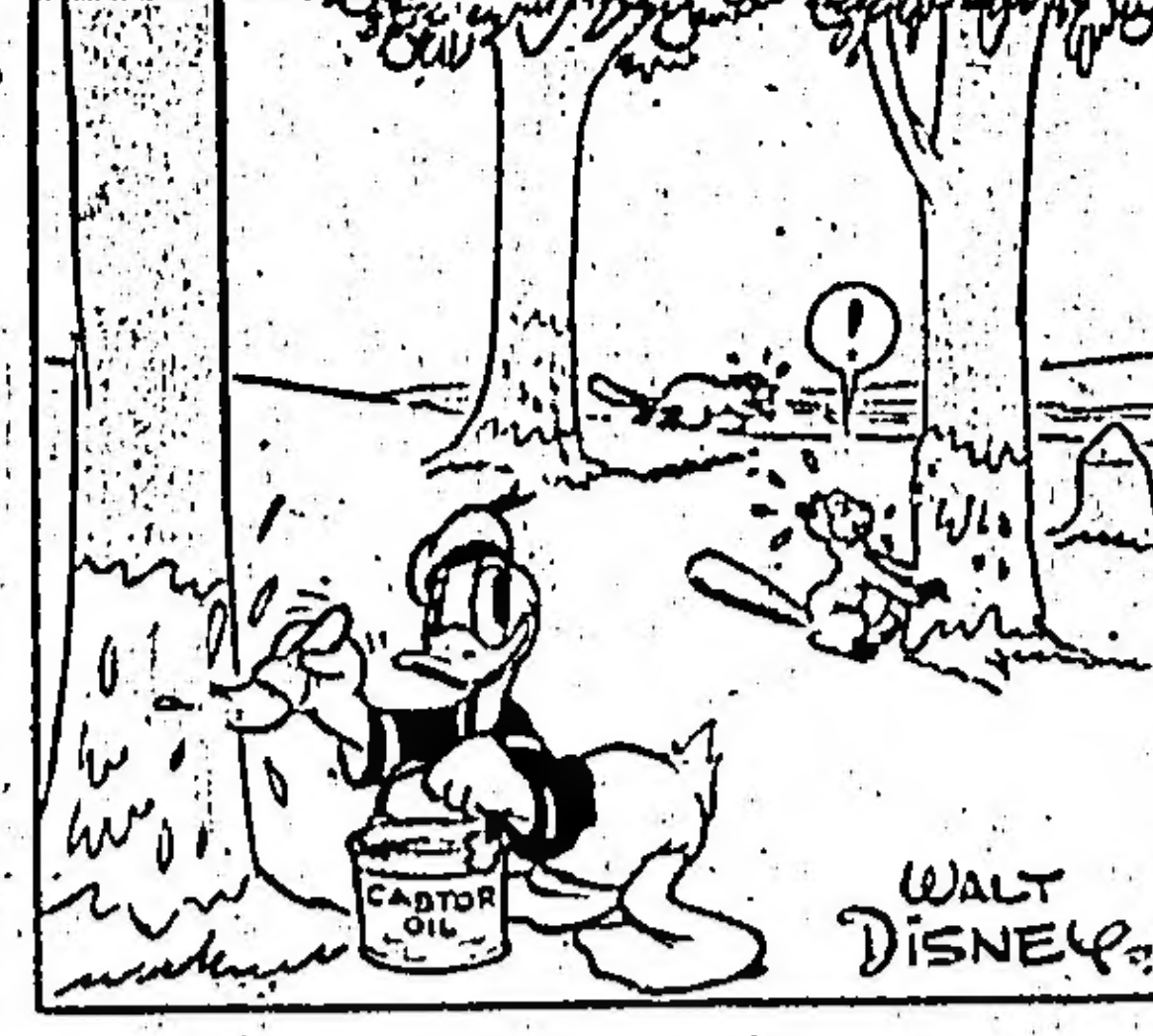
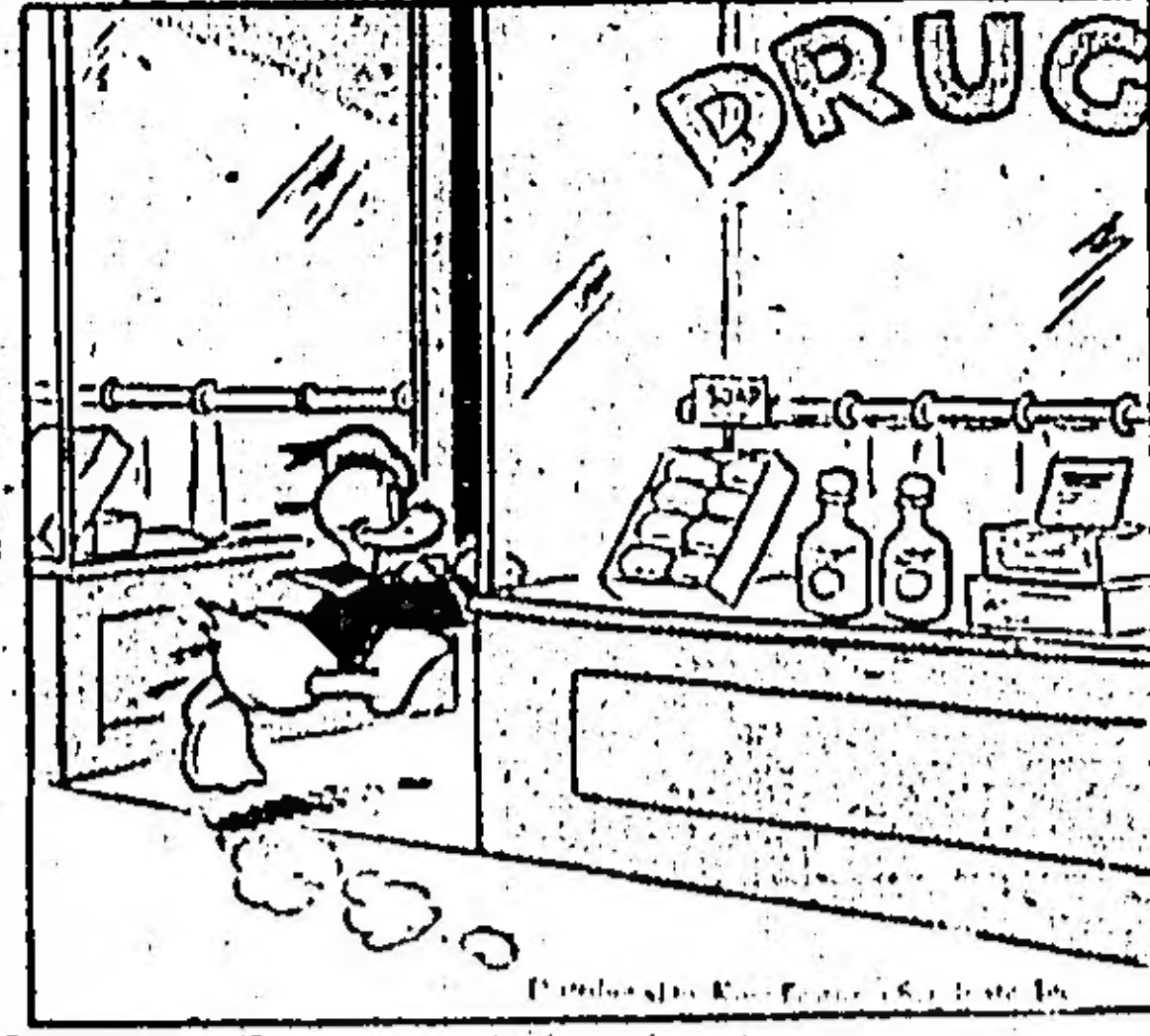
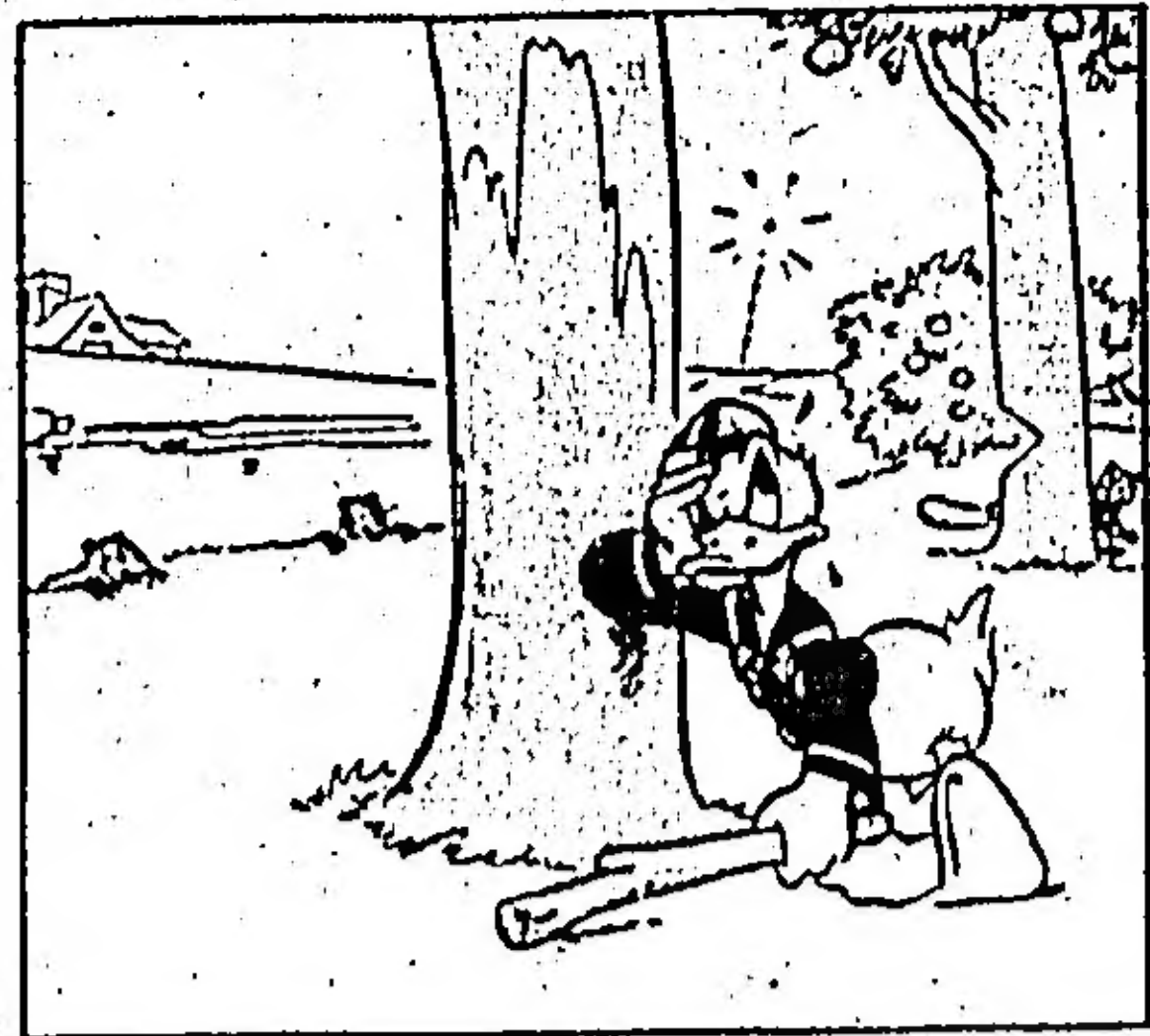
LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 28 (UP).—Miss Marian Milley, 27, top-flight amateur golfer was shot and killed at the exclusive Lexington Country Club to-night by two masked burglars when she attempted to assist her mother who was beaten and shot three times and wounded critically.

The burglars ransacked the Club house and escaped with \$145.

Mrs. Milley, caretaker of the Club is the wife of Fred Milley, golf professional in Cincinnati. She was awakened by the burglars who were beating the door down, went into the hall where she was knocked unconscious and then shot. Marian heard the commotion and went into the hall where she was shot in the head and in the back and instantly killed. Marian's golf titles included Western Open, Western Women's Amateur, and the Southern trans-Mississippi tournaments.



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- The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved to the Hongkong Telegraph.
- All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.
- All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted on white card.
- No picture to be entered in more than one Section.
- Mounts to be only white or cream, must be of one of the following sizes:—10x12, 16x20.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven days.
- The use of aliases is strictly forbidden.

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Please use block letters and print  
one of these forms on back  
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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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## WATER ACCOUNTS

Consumers are hereby notified that all accounts issued on or after 1st day of October, 1941, will be surcharged if not paid within 14 days from date of issue, instead of 21 days as at present allowed.

A. B. PURVES,

Water Authority.  
Public Works Department,  
Hongkong, 24th September, 1941.

## NOTICE

DEFENCE REGULATIONS 1940  
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Under the auspices of the Theosophical Society of Hongkong, a birthday anniversary celebration of Dr Annie Besant will be held at the Sindh Merchants' Club, 10 Queen's Road Central, Wang Hing Building, 4th floor, on Wednesday, October 1, at 5.30 p.m. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

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man and His Orchestra. "Goldwyn

Follies"—Selection; Intro: Charlie

McCarthy; I Was Doing All Right

... Louis Levy and His Orchestra.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press and

Announcements.

1.45 Glenn Miller and His Or-

chestra.

2.15 Close Down.

6.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-

tions.

6.48 Chopin—Concerto No. 1 in E

Minor, Op. 11... Arthur Edmund

(Piano) and The London Symphony

Orchestra conducted by John Baral-

rochi.

7.22 The London Philharmonic

Orchestra and Tiana Lemnitz (Sop.).

8.0 London Relay—The News.

8.15 London Relay—War Com-

mentary.

8.25 London Relay—Listening

Post—Examination of Points in

Daily Propaganda.

8.30 Programme Summary.

8.32 Primo Scala's Accordion Band

and Sam Brown (Vocal).

9.00 Local Time Signal and An-

nouncements.

9.02 This Week's Programmes.

9.05 Studio "Pencil Please".

A Variation of Variety produced by

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9.45-10.00 News in French (On

Short Wave Only).

9.45 Charlie Kuntz at the Piano.

10.00 London—The News and

News Commentary.

10.15 Dance Music.

11.0 London—"News From

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Plan to Feed Europe's  
Post-war Population

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (UP)—The United States is drawing up plans for the greatest relief expedition of history—to feed and restore to health the undernourished hordes of Europe—after the war is over, it was learned today.

Plans include establishment of a huge store of foods and other relief articles to meet immediate problems and a longer-range plan to assure freedom of trade and an ample supply of raw materials for all nations.

The long-range plan is to be based on international trade agreements and, possibly, creation of a huge international bank to finance international transactions.

A "test-tube" bank now is being formed as the Inter-American bank for the Western Hemisphere republics.

A hint of the post-war plan was given by Assistant Secretary of State Adolph A. Berle, Jr., at a reception by the exiled Grand Duchess Charlotte of Luxembourg recently at the Luxembourg Legation.

"It is the plan of this government, when the first tide of barbarity shall be rolled back," he said, "to turn the full measure of its economic strength to bringing help, relief and sustenance to the tens of millions of famished in many countries who are now hungry, cold, homeless, sick, separated or in prison by the ruthless act of a group of tyrants."

Small nations, he promised, will be able in the post-war world to "live in freedom." He asked for a general international accord "under which all countries are assured of participation in the economic life of the world."

**Encouragement**  
Informed officials said the surplus producing nations of the Americas will play an important role in formulating the diplomatic policy whereby post-war plans will be carried out. They hoped that the other 20 American republics will act as a bloc with the United States.

Fuller details of the plan are expected to be unfolded by leading officials in the future, both to encourage the resistance of conquered peoples and to achieve national as well as international backing for the project.

**Posthumous Children**  
Of Naval Heroes  
Five hundred widows of naval men who recently lost their lives in the war are expecting babies in the next few months, said Admiral Sir Sidney Fremantle in London recently.

The Navy League, he added, would do all in its power to look after the women for the present.

**Richard Tauber, Austrian-born tenor, now British by naturalisation, sang at Drury Lane recently in the first of a series of B.B.C. world broadcasts.**

The audience included representatives of all the Allied nations, and he sang in English, French and German.

A new song of the Free French forces, composed by M. Andre Bernheim, a member of General de Gaulle's London organisation, was given by men of the Free French Army and Navy.

Julius Guttmann, one of the best-known Czech operatic basses, and Eva Turner also sang, and a Polish choir gave "Lech Lomond."

**Crossword Puzzle**  
By LARS MORRIS

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### JAPAN MORASSED

ONLY the super-optimist could hope for a violent change in Japan's political philosophy at this time, and continued lip service to the Tripartite Pact which marked its anniversary hardly comes as a surprise. The deeper meaning behind this political gesture is not so obvious, but doubtless the impression which has held for so long—that Japan is playing for time before making decisions which will irretrievably commit her—remains dominant. Additionally the official tokens to the Tripartite Pact may be a back-handed method of indicating that the Washington-Tokyo talks are doomed, and this point is given emphasis by the Hunan offensive which coincides with the Tripartite anniversary.

The latest Japanese offensive in China has its importance for it threatens to wrest from Chungking control of Hunan's rich mineral resources and its vast rice production; nevertheless, a substantial Japanese success in this area will not be sufficient to determine the Sino-Japanese conflict and must, therefore, be regarded more as a determined attempt to appease discontented spirits in Japan with a tangible military achievement.

The Political and military developments of the past few weeks in the Pacific serve only to illustrate and re-state the hopeless muddle into which Japan has placed herself. She has made herself practically friendless, choosing to lean towards Nazi Germany, who has demonstrated only too often that she makes pacts solely for her own gains, and that should the occasion ever arise she will not hesitate to put Japan against the wall. Japan's military commitments in China and elsewhere are now causing her grave concern and her vital war resources are being tapped to a disturbing extent. These are factors which normally would give any nation pause to think; but Japan is in a political as well as a military morass, and opportunistic action is likely to continue to remain the creed of her leaders—a creed which finally must bring for the nation unhappy results.

## Russia's Greatest Author Describes

### Soviet Guerilla Troops at War

# GERMANS THINK TOO SLOWLY!

By ALEXEI TOLSTOY

Named in 1939 as Soviet Russia's greatest living writer, the author of this dispatch, who is now acting as a war correspondent, is a nephew of Count Leo Tolstoy. To English readers, he is known for his two novels, "Peter the Great" and "Darkness and Dawn."

MOSCOW.—They lay in fragrant grass in a thick nut copse. Their telegraph instruments were well concealed. The sky, pallid in the heat, was deserted.

There must have been an anthill nearby, for every now and again Lieutenant Zhabin kept brushing an insect from his cheek. He seemed in no hurry to get on with his story.

"The German soldier is not allowed to think," he said, "it is considered dangerous. His skull is not fitted for fast action. He is slow on the pick-up. That is where we always get him, in those few seconds while he is trying to put two and two together."

"But Comrade Zhabin," interrupted the man with the notebook in his hand, "tell me how you managed to spend so many days behind the Nazi lines with 25 Red army men and get away unscathed."

"I've got Schmeltkov, a driver with a head on his shoulders," Zhabin replied.

### Bayonet Effective

"You ask how we got behind the German lines? I was ordered to concentrate all signals, in the hamlet of Dubki and maintain contact with headquarters to the bitter end. While there I got myself surrounded."

"Towards evening two German motor trucks packed with unsuspecting Nazis drove into Dubki. We calmly let the Germans through and then began peppering them from the flanks with machine-guns."

"When they piled out of the machines and scattered, we cheered and went after them with the bayonet. The Germans don't like that. Some managed to get away."

"Their officer dashed into some reeds and hid himself in the water with only his nostrils showing. We found important documents in his bag."

"We started up the German trucks and I piled by 25 men into them. We drove along the front behind the Nazi lines. For the first hour or so we did not meet a soul."

"Our steel helmets might be taken for German in the darkness. Only our four-edged Rus-

sian bayonets were noticeable. I ordered the men to hold their rifles on their knees. We soon spied three blue lights. This was the German 'stop signal' at the head of a motor column."

"Schmeltkov, the driver, switched on the riding lights. Before us we saw a seven-ton truck packed with cases, a white disc with a black Swastika on the radiator. Three officers in a side road peered in our direction, poking flashlights at us. Schmeltkov, the driver, switched on the headlights, the officers blinked and shaded their eyes with their hands."

We drove calmly past them and the motor column with our heads averted so as not to show the red star on our helmets. Adding speed we dashed through a deserted village.

### Halted By Grenade

"Near a wooden church in an open automobile sat a wrinkled German officer, with a drooping Adam's apple, examining a map with the aid of a flashlight. I barely managed to elude one of our men by the arm; he was about to lean out of the cab and hurl a hand grenade."

"Nevertheless the officer's staidness must have been aroused. We were soon overtaken by a 20-horsepower motorcycle with a sidecar carrying a machine-gunner. This time my soldier let his grenade go and with such good effect that the machine-gunner rose a yard and a half out of his sidecar as if he wanted to tell us something important, while the driver and the cycle toppled headlong into a ditch."

"At dawn we reached a small wood and here our gasoline ran out. We camouflaged the trucks and sat down for a meal. Suddenly one of our men clamped his teeth on his biscuit, turned his head, jumped up and dashed into the ferns. We heard a squeak and there he was returning, dragging a lad of about nine by the hand, a close-cropped, snub-nosed boy with furtive eyes. 'Let me go,' complained the boy, 'Don't you see I am a friend.'

### German Nerves

"The lad proved intelligent. Before the sun rose he had led us into another part of the forest. On the edge of the forest stood gasoline tank trucks and five German fighting planes. We made short work of them. German sentries were pacing up and down to keep themselves awake. My snipers had them biting the dust in a few moments."

"Then we jumped out of the ferns with a loud hurrah. That cry had bad effect on German nerves, worse than howling huns. The Fascists crawled out of their holes. Some put up their hands at once, others began firing wildly with automatics. We bayoneted 28 of them. One German we pulled out of his plane by his parachute strap."

"We left no witnesses, set fire to the tank trucks and planes and returned to the forest. There we spent the entire day. We heard tanks passing and peppering the forest with machine-gun fire but we were well sheltered."

### Turned To Dvinsk

"At nightfall we decided to make our way along the River Dvina and look for a spot to break through. The Nazis have no regular front, they advance full speed in a narrow wedge and if you have your wits about you, you can always creep through their lines."

"As we moved forward we could see Dvinsk with flames reaching to the very clouds. Such illuminations seem to be better than movie shows to the Germans. Their planes circle around burning towns, firing at refugees and driving women, children and old folks back into the flames."

"Well, we were mad and spilling for a scrap. We stopped a passenger car with three German officers and before we finished them off we made them turn their faces toward Dvinsk. They must have found it less entertaining than a movie on this occasion."

"We cut many telegraph wires and then attacked a column of ten tank trucks. We finished off their crews, emptied the tanks and set fire to the gasoline. We regretted this for it made too bright a fire. We saw three heavy tanks and regretted that we had no bottles of gasoline with us."

"But two grenade throwers took all the grenades they could from their comrades, ran ahead and hid at the roadside and each of them threw a bundle of grenades under a tank."

"The first one rose up on its rear and blew to pieces from the detonation of its own shells. The others were damaged and could only keep firing into the darkness."

### Planes Overhead

Suddenly Lieut. Zhabin stopped his recital and sprang lightly to his feet. "Enemy planes," he called. At once all was movement beneath the nut bushes. Five Nazi bombers passed overhead at a great height. Scarcely five minutes had elapsed since the signal had passed word to the airfield, when a squadron of our fighter planes appeared on the scene. They hummed like a stretched wire powerfully and formidably and rose steeply above the bombers."

The heavy Nazi planes turned tail. But too late. The sound of machine-guns was heard from the pallid sky. The fighters swooped. One bomber suddenly turned its nose downward and fell, leaving a long trail of smoke behind it."

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

How to Play  
AND  
How to Win

By JOSEPHINE CULBERTSON  
Penalty Doubles Hard to Figure

"DEAR Mrs Culbertson: I don't know how others feel about it but to my way of thinking, the most tantalizing department of the bridge is penalty doubles. Sometimes, when we double with what looks like a rock-crusher, the declarer romps home with the contract and laughs in our faces; other times, when we have nothing resembling a sound double, the contract may go down three or four tricks. Take the following hand, for instance. I, unhappily, was West."

"South dealer.  
"North-South vulnerable.  
♠ Q 6  
♥ K 8 7 3  
♦ Q 4 5  
♣ A Q 2  
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♠ 9 4 2  
♥ 5 4  
♦ J 7 6 5 2  
♣ J 7 3  
A 10 7 6 3  
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A K 9  
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"The bidding:  
South West North East  
2♥ Pass 4♥ Pass  
Pass Double Pass Pass  
Pass

"When South opened with one spade, I decided that trapping was my best bet. The opponents were vulnerable, we weren't, and if they tried to go anywhere, it looked as though I would be able to throw them for a sizable loss. Hearts, mentioned by South on the second round, suited me even better than spades, so I continued to sit tight. When North bid four hearts I liked my chops and let 'em have it. What a mistake it turned out to be!"

"I opened the club king. The ace spade contract, doubled by East, you and declarer promptly ruffed. Opening lead heart nine."

a club, then led low toward the spade queen. I put up the king and shifted to the ace and queen of trumps, trying to break up the cross-ruff. The heart king won, the spade queen was cashed, and declarer then used his last trump to ruc another club. The spade ace disposed of dummy's last club, and when declarer continued spades, I could take my high trump whenever I pleased, but that was the end. On reanalysis, we agreed that no defence could have defeated the contract. To top it off, my partner wanted to know why I had doubled! Disgustedly yours,  
E. L. A. Chicago"

Comments are scarcely in order. It is hard to imagine that anyone would question West's double of four hearts, but I cannot share my correspondent's incredulity that the contract should have been fulfilled. Not that I would not expect to defeat the contract. With West's hand, I simply mean that everyone's hand included, has had far better doubles go astray. There are very few "guaranteed" doubles! To-morrow's Hand.

North dealer.  
Both sides vulnerable.

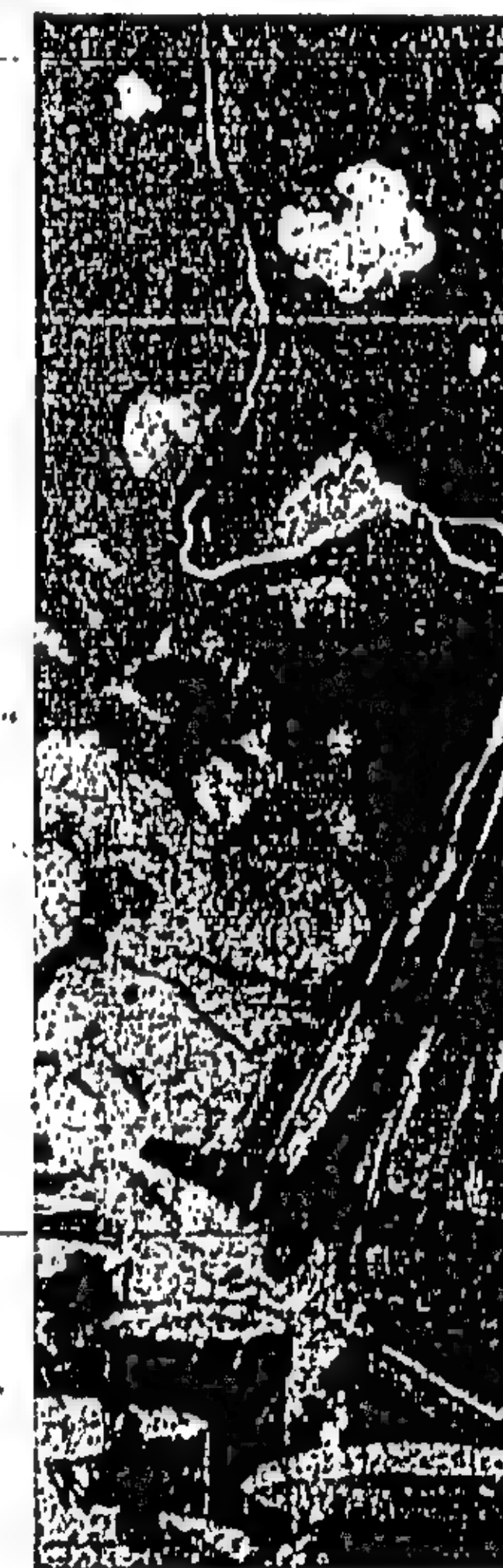
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How should South play this hand? The ace spade contract, doubled by East, you and declarer promptly ruffed. Opening lead heart nine."

## CAPTAIN CASTELLO —HERO



Captain Castello, of the Red Air Force, was on a raid over Germany. His plane was hit and burst into flames. Instead of bailing out, he nose-dived towards a cluster of oil storage tanks and deliberately crashed. Several caught fire and exploded, setting fire to trucks. The picture above was radioed to London via New York. Below is an artist's impression of his feat.





## Berlin-Vichy Seek Basis For Future Harmony

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Discussions proceeding between Berlin and the Vichy Government aim at reaching more satisfactory relations.

While conclusion of a separate peace is not anticipated, it is expected that there will be relaxation of Armistice conditions, says the Berlin correspondent of the newspaper "Aftonbladet".

He adds that it is proposed that the occupying troops will remain in France but the Vichy Government and the whole civil administration will return to Paris.

Direct diplomatic connection between the two countries is also expected through re-opening of the French Embassy in Berlin although the representatives will be called "Diplomatic Missions" instead of "Embassies and Legations."

## SERBS NOT CRUSHED

Patriotic Revolt Takes Form Of Sabotage

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The reply of the Serbian patriots to the appeal of Neditch, the Yugo-Slav Quisling Premier, to lay down their arms and surrender to the Germans has been to redouble their acts of sabotage and violence.

The Germans sent three new divisions into the country in an effort to counter the patriots' activities, but despite this, bridges continue to be blown up and railway lines are daily destroyed.

Other travellers from Serbia confirm that the principal railway line between Belgrade and Nish has again been sabotaged.

According to the Zagreb newspaper "Novolist", all traffic on railways in Bosnia has been suspended.

## Italian Staff Captured

Desert Interlude

CAIRO, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The capture of an Italian staff car by South Africans is mentioned in to-day's British Middle East communique.

The communique states: "Libya. — Apart from ineffective enemy artillery fire, the situation at Tobruk throughout yesterday was generally quiet."

"In the frontier area our patrols continued their aggressive activities. Yesterday a South African patrol captured a staff car containing four Italian officers."

## Nazis Stage Trial In Sofia

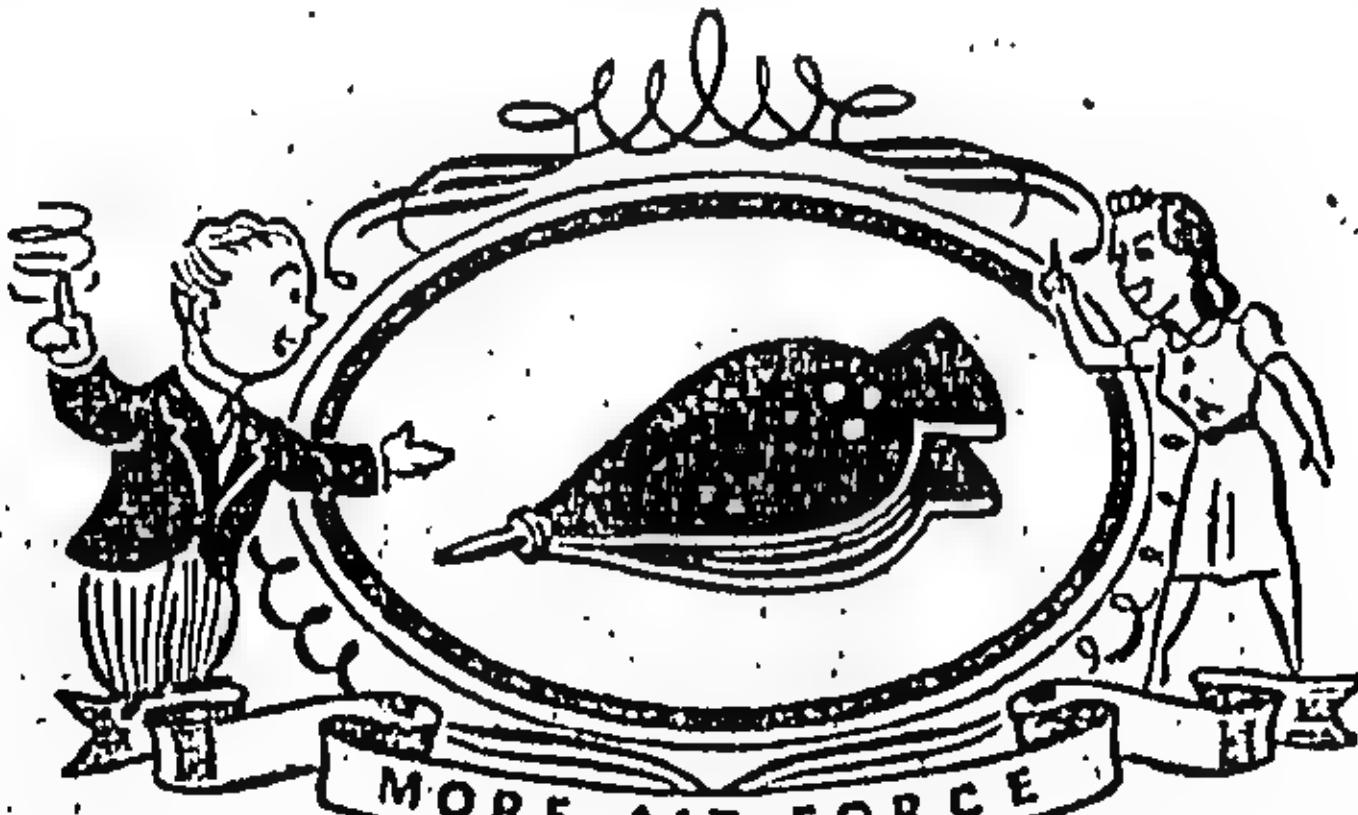
LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The trial of 35 spies and saboteurs will begin on October 20 before the district court at Sofia, states the German news agency.

They are accused of having been "in the service of Britain and the former Yugo-Slav state and having prepared a revolt in Bulgaria last spring."

The agency adds: "There are five foreigners among the accused, including Mr Norman Davies, the Press Attaché in the British Legation at Sofia. The chief accused is George Dimitrov."

## NEPAL'S LOYALTY TO CAUSE OF BRITAIN

KHATMANDUS, Nepal, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—"A just cause gives hundredfold strength to its arms and, fighting as Britain is with grim determination for an unselfish end, there can be no doubt of her ultimate victory," declared Maharajah Sir Juddha Shum Shere Jung Bahadur Rana, Prime Minister of Nepal, addressing a Durbar to-day. He reiterated Nepal's unswerving attachment to Britain. He referred to the satisfactory manner in which the work of providing 20,000 suitable recruits with a view to adding 20 extra battalions to the existing British Gurkha regiments had been done.



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## Anglo-U.S. Delegates In Moscow

MOSCOW, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Lord Beaverbrook, Mr Averell Harriman and other members of the British and American delegations to Moscow arrived here this evening.

They were met by M. Vishinsky, Vice-Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, Admiral Kuznetsov, Commissioner for the U.S.S.R. Navy, General Gorkov, Deputy Chief of the General Staff, M. Sobolev, Secretary-General of the Foreign Commissariat, Sir Stafford Cripps, the British Ambassador, Mr Laurence Steinhardt, the United States Ambassador, and personnel of both Embassies.

## Rich Captain Hard Hit By "Freezing"

Stating that he owns property in Shanghai and is worth \$250,000 in Shanghai, but that the Dominion Government will not release him a cent, a 78-year-old ex-master mariner recently protested in Vancouver that he and his wife have been very poorly treated.

They have been petitioning for permission to return to their home in Shanghai, but all their assets were frozen in the recent Oriental Canadian development, because they held most of his funds in Oriental banks and properties.

"In fact," declared the indignant captain "they advised my wife to go on the dole. They called me a quitter. Me a quitter!"

"I'm going right to lawyers," declared her husband, and they went away to do just that.

## Miss Ho Wai-king Again Breaks National Records

Three Chinese National records were shattered at the All-Chinese Schools' Swimming gala at Lanchow yesterday. The gala was held under the auspices of the Hongkong and Kowloon Residents' Union Club.

Miss Ho Wai-king broke two National records by returning the excellent time of 33.2 seconds for the 100 metres free-style and 1 minute 32.0 secs for the Women's 100 metres back-stroke.

Yau Sai-kwan, clocking 21 minutes 20 seconds, broke the record for the Men's 1,600 metres free-style. Mr Leung Tung-tung, Hon. Advisor of the Club, presented the prizes.

Results were as follows: Men's 150 metres free-style—1. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 2. Canton University, 3. Hing Chuen School "B", 1 minute 41.4 seconds.

Women's 100 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king, 2. Hing Chuen School, 3. Canton University, 2. Hing Chuen School, 2 min. 11 secs.

Men's 100 metres back-stroke—1. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 2. Chan Chiu-chung (Canton "U"), 3. John Dai (Hing Chuen School).

Women's 100 metres back-stroke—1. Ho Wai-king, 2. Hing Chuen School, 3. Canton University, 2 min. 11 secs.

Men's 200 metres back-stroke—1. Chan Chiu-chung (Canton "U"), 2. Chan Chiu-chung (Canton "U"), 3. John Dai (Hing Chuen School).

Women's 200 metres back-stroke—1. Ho Wai-king, 2. Hing Chuen School, 3. Canton University, 4 min. 4.4 secs.

Men's 400 metres free-style—1. Yau Sai-kwan (Canton "U"), 2. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 3. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 5 min. 34.1 secs.

Women's 400 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king, 2. Hing Chuen School, 3. Canton University, 8 min. 4.4 secs.

Men's 100 metres back-stroke—1. John Dai, 2. Yung Man-wai (Hing Chuen), 3. Wong Lok-lai (Hing Chuen), 1 min. 21.4 secs.

Women's 100 metres back-stroke—1. Ho Wai-king, 2. Tsang Cheong-ming, 3. Sun Pui, 2 min. 11 secs.

Men's 1,600 metres free-style—1. Yau Sai-kwan (Canton "U"), 2. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 3. Chan Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 21 min. 20 secs.

Women's 100 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king, 2. Hing Chuen School, 3. Canton University, 2 min. 11 secs.

Men's 200 metres free-style—1. Yau Sai-kwan (Canton "U"), 2. Tsang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 3. Chan Cheong-ming (Canton "U"), 5 min. 34.1 secs.

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## EMERGENCY IN MORAVIA

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—A state of emergency was proclaimed in six districts of the protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia this morning, according to the official German news agency.

A message from Prague to Berlin stated that Dr. Elma, Premier of the protectorate government, has been arrested on charges of high treason.

## Kwong Wah Surprise S. China

(Continued from Page 6.)

men, and as for Lee Wai-tong, he was well known to Lee Kwok-kee to be of much danger. The two wings sent across some good centres, and the left winger, Lee Shek-yau wasted innumerable chances by his slow methods in paring with the ball.

Both keepers had a lot to do throughout, and Lee Kwok-kee came out of the afternoon's fray with flying colours, for he saved at least on three occasions by diving full length for the ball.

The Play

For the first five minutes play was confined to South China's half where Chin Chi-fan's centre well held by Tam Kwan-hon, which was followed by Cheuk Shek-kam ballooning over when well placed. At the other end, Lee Wai-tong's pass to Chin Chi-fai saw the latter transferring the ball to Lee Shek-yau only to see him robbed by Fok Yiu-wan.

Chau Man-chi was given possession but was unable to do much with Yeung Tse-cheung at his heels. However, following a passing bout, Chau Man-chi tested Lee Kwok-kee but did not find the keeper wanting in his duty.

From a breakaway Wong King-chung was given the ball, but was robbed by Tsang Chung-wan. As the latter was dallying with the ball, Chan Tak-fai cut across and sent in a cross shot which deflected off Tam Kwan-hon's foot. But Chin Chi-fan came across to crush him by the net to give Kwong Wah the lead.

Again Attacking

With the score against them, South China once again took up the attack in the second period, but had luck faded them every time they took a shot at goal.

Lee Tak-kee came into the picture with several good efforts but at least two of his shots had Lee Kwok-kee well bent only to strike the bar.

Kwong Wah had several hectic minutes in front of their goal, as South China did everything bar scoring. The situation was relieved when Lee Kwok-kee robbed Chau Man-chi and beamed the ball to Tin Yung-fat. However with the attacks coming as it did at the most crucial period of the game, Kwong Wah's defence held out. Further efforts by Chau Man-chi and Lee Tak-kee proved unavailing.

Second Goal

Much against the run of the play, Kwong Wah, obtaining their second goal when in a breakaway they forced a corner from which, Cheuk Shek-kam headed the ball into the net. Previous to this Tam Kwan-hon had to run well out of the area in stopping Chin Chi-fan from scoring as by now the whole of South China's team were concentrating in attack.

Towards the end of the game South China made several positional changes but to no effect, although just before full time Lee Kwok-kee had to dive full length in effecting a save from Lau Chung-gan.

South China: Tam Kwan-hon; Tsang Chung-wan, Tse Kam-hung; Lau Hing-choy, Lam Tak-po, Lau Chung-sang; Chin Chi-fai, Lee Tak-kee, Lee Wai-tong, Chau Man-chi, Lee Shek-yau.

Kwong Wah: Lee Kwok-kee, Chung Fai-lum, Lee Kwok-wai, Fok Yiu-wan, Yeung Tse-cheung, Leung Pak-wai; Chin Chi-fan, Tin Yung-fat, Chan Tak-fai, Cheuk Shek-kam, Wong, King-chung.

Appeal To Warrior Mentality Of Indians

WARDHA, Central Provinces, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—"Enlist in the Army, Air Force and Navy. Show that you have the warrior mentality and help yourself. Don't be anti-war," declared Mr M. S. Aney, member of the Viceroy's expanded Executive Council and former President of the Indian National Congress, addressing a public meeting here to-day.

Congress had betrayed the interest of the seceders by resigning from the Ministries, he said, adding that acceptance of office offered opportunities for India's progress.

## Finland's Attitude To Soviet

Not Ready For Peace

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—"It is obvious that Russia in her present situation is interested in ending hostilities with Finland as soon possible but all desires to this end must be definitely rejected at the present stage," however, much Finland's people would welcome a return of peace," writes the Helsinki newspaper "Hufvudstadsbladet" to-day.

It adds that "Russia's word cannot be relied upon" and therefore "compliance with the request to cease prosecution of the war would be equivalent to the self-destruction of a victoriously fighting army."

Possession of the areas conquered by Finland, says the newspaper, "constitutes the surest pledge of Finland's one great war aim—peace secured for the future. However anxious we are that our relations with Britain shall not be aggravated, we cannot accept the demands made on us."

## H.K. Stock Market

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LANDS

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UTILITIES

Trams \$.....17.00 b.  
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Peak Trams (new) \$.....3 1/4 n.  
Star Ferries \$.....52 b.  
Y. Ferries \$.....24 b.  
China Lights (old) \$.....7.10 b.  
China Lights (new) \$.....2.35 b.  
H.K. Electric (old) x. rts. 23.70 n.  
H.K. Electric (new) \$.....23 b.  
H.K. Electric Rts \$.....12 b.  
Macao Electric \$.....18 1/4 n.  
Sundankan Lights \$.....13.10 n.  
Telephones (old) \$.....25 1/4 sa.  
Telephones (new) \$.....9 n.

INDUSTRIALS

Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Sh. \$.....45 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$.....38 n.  
Canton Rops \$.....1 n.  
Wing On (H.K.) \$.....17 b.  
H.K. Rops \$.....10 1/4 n.

STORES, &c.

Dairy Farms \$.....10 b.  
Watsons \$.....13.05 n.  
Lane Crawford \$.....6.20 n.  
Sinceres \$.....2 1/4 n.  
Wing On (H.K.) \$.....38 n.  
Wm. Powell Ltd. \$.....1.95 b.

COTTON MILLS

Ewo Sh. \$.....50 n.  
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H.K. Govt 4% \$.....101 n.  
H.K. Govt 3 1/2% (1934) \$.....98 1/2 n.  
H.K. Govt 3 1/2% (1940) \$.....85 n.  
Ch. Govt 5% 1925 GSD \$.....43 n.  
Entertainments \$.....7.10 b.  
Constructions (old) \$.....1.60 n.  
Constructions (new) \$.....80 cts n.  
Vibro Piling \$.....7 sa.  
Marsmans Inv. (Lon.) \$.....7/8 n.  
Marsmans Inv. (H.K.) \$.....1/6 n.

CHUNGKING RAID ALARM

SPECIAL TO "THE TELEGRAPH"

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (UP).—The air raid alarm was hoisted for an hour and 50 minutes starting at 1.10 p.m. It is learned that three Japanese planes, presumably reconnoitring, flew over Chinese aerodromes to ascertain whether United States planes had arrived.

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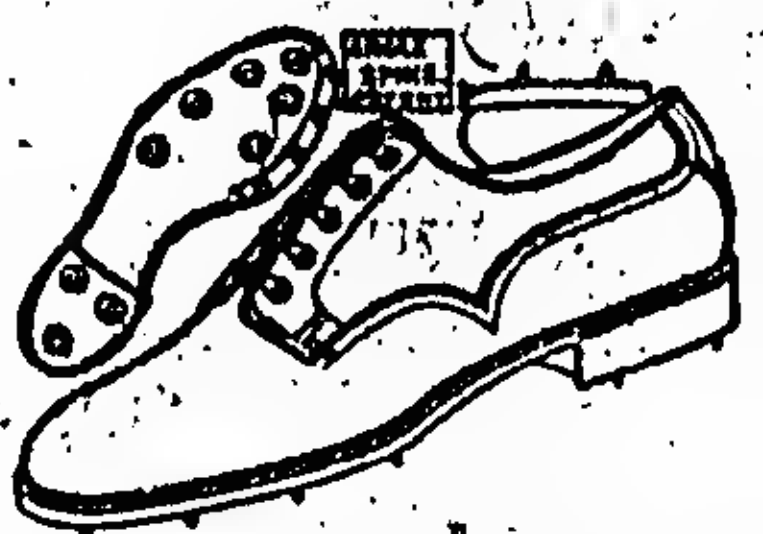
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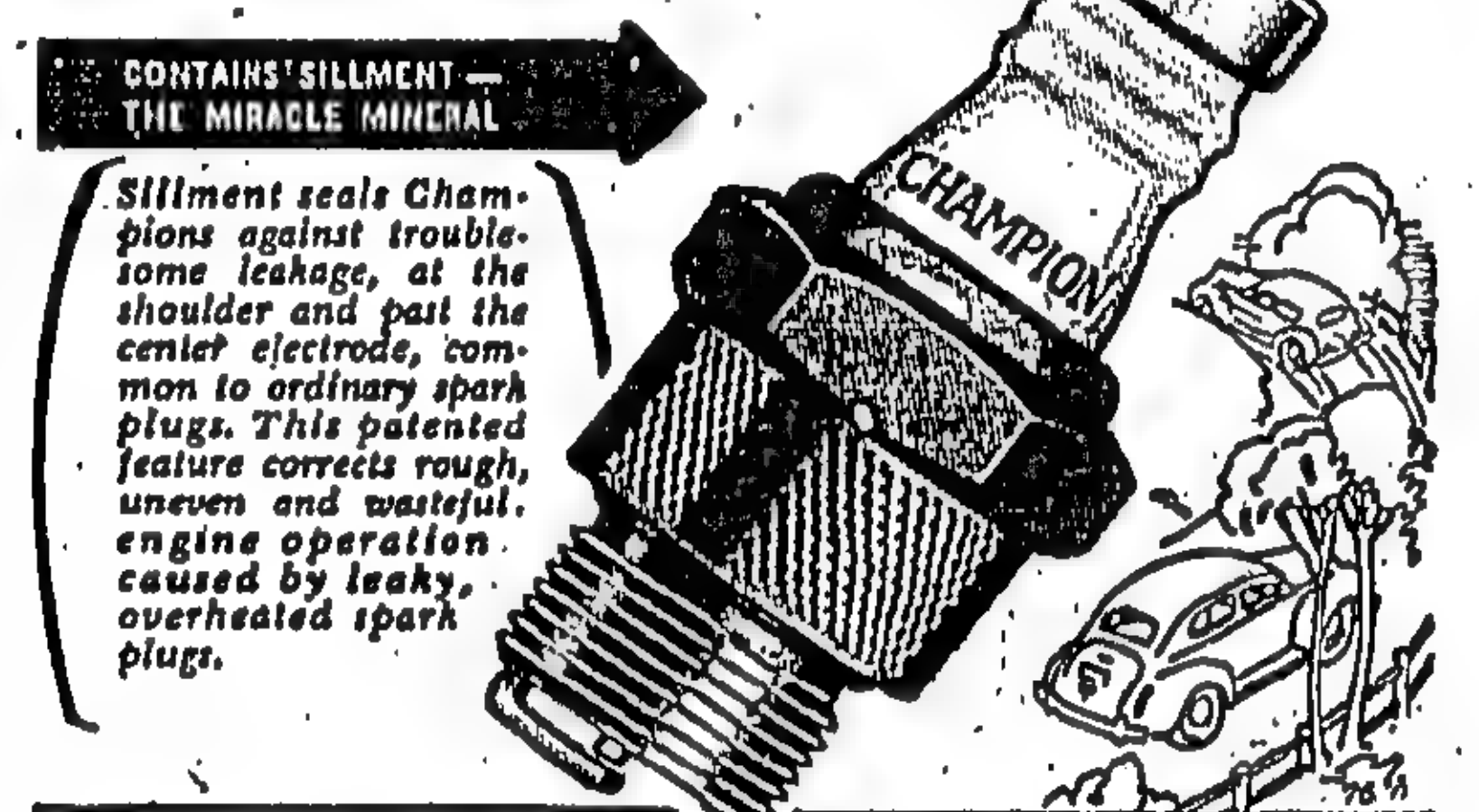
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## LENINGRAD SITUATION IMPROVES: STRONG RED COUNTER-ATTACKS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

MOSCOW, SEPT. 28 (UP).—THE POSITION AT LENINGRAD APPEARS TO HAVE SOMEWHAT IMPROVED ON SUNDAY. DISPATCHES REPORTED STIFFENING RESISTANCE AND THE GROWING STRENGTH OF THE RUSSIAN COUNTER-ATTACKS. IN SEVERAL SUB-SECTORS THE RUSSIANS BROKE THROUGH THE NAZI DEFENCES CONSISTING OF SEVERAL LINES OF TRENCHES 150 METRES APART AND SEIZED THE FORTIFIED POSITION.

The Germans appeared to have advanced nowhere. The "Red Star" in a dispatch asserted that Leningrad itself had become an invulnerable bastion and that every inhabitant had become a warrior. The city's approaches consist of an elaborate system of barricades including dug-outs and pillboxes which are everywhere.

Factories have been organised on military lines and individual shops are now constituting companies and platoons under the command of former managers.

A London message states that according to authoritative quarters, the fact that the Germans have made no new claims in the Ukraine and Crimea could be construed as a favourable factor and also that rain is continuing to fall along the entire front. Fighting continues in the strongly defended Crimea.

Moscow Communique

Moscow announced in a communique that 18 tanks, 41 armoured cars with ammunition, ten mine-sweeping batteries were destroyed, hundreds of prisoners were taken, 48 guns, 19 mine-throwers, 66 machine-guns, two radio outfits and a large amount of rifles have been captured. The Russian forces continued fighting on all fronts.

Midnight Bulletin

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The Soviet midnight communique states: "On September 28 our troops fought the enemy along the whole front. On September 28, 98 German aircraft were destroyed. We lost 30 aircraft. Ships of the Northern Fleet sank two enemy transports of 8,000 tons and 4,000 tons respectively. Coastal batteries and ships of the Baltic Fleet sank an enemy cruiser. TURN TO Back Page, Column 3

Sir Mark Young Visits Police Headquarters

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Mark Young, accompanied by his A.D.C., Captain S. H. Batty-Smith, visited and inspected Central Police Headquarters this morning. Sir Mark was received by the Police Commissioner, Hon Mr Pennie, father-Evans and Mr W. R. Scott, Director, Criminal Investigation Department, and he then proceeded to make a detailed inspection of the police station and administrative offices.

**LATEST**

See Back Page For Further Late News

## Nazis Urging Japan To Go To War With Russia

SHANGHAI, Sept. 29 (Reuter).—The American owned "China Press" carries a statement attributed to a source in Tokyo that Germany is exercising pressure on Japan through Fascist Japanese Army officers in favour of an immediate clash with Russia.

Prince Konoye, says the report, is losing confidence in the policy of aggrandisement through aggression. His views are stated to have clashed uncompromisingly with Fascist army and navy officers.

Meanwhile the attitude of the administration is cautious, feeling that Germany is by no means victor in Russia yet and that for Japan to tackle Russia's powerful Far Eastern army would involve giving second place to the China war and the southward drive.

## Tri-Power Delegations Ready To Discuss Aid To Russia

Special to the "Telegraph"

MOSCOW, Sept. 28 (UP).—Lord Beaverbrook and Mr Averell Harriman arrived to-day completing the delegations, a part of which have been here for several days, for a tri-power conference to work out a long-term programme to aid the Soviet Union.

## Germans From Iran Arrive In Turkey

ANKARA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Four hundred and fifty Axis women, children and staff of the German Legation from Teheran passed through Ankara to-day. The train was met by Frau Clodius wife of Hitler's trade negotiator, the Bulgarian Minister and representatives of the Italian and Hungarian Missions.

## TANKS! Britain's Record Effort for Soviet

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Tank production during "Tanks for Russia" week was nearly 20 per cent. higher than the previous week, which itself provided an all-time record, states the Ministry of Supply.

Saturday's tank output was the highest daily production rate ever reached and the last three days of the week produced more tanks than any previous three days.

A Ministry of Supply official stated that targets had been set for every tank and plane in the country—targets which were even higher than the peak objectives of last week.

Workers' Pledge

Throughout the week-end, telegrams and telephone calls had been pouring into the Ministry from tank factories, foundries and steel-works, etc., in which workers pledged themselves to do their utmost to exceed last week's record production this week.

Ministry of Supply experts have planned a rapidly expanding tank production programme covering every process of manufacture. This programme is based on a long term policy for a constant flow of those types selected for immediate needs by the Soviet Government and also to maintain simultaneously the increasing requirements of Britain's own swiftly-expanding armoured fighting forces.

## Photographic Contest

Judges Named

The following gentlemen have undertaken to act as Judges in the Eleventh Photographic Competition organised by the "Hongkong Telegraph." Mr. Walter Clark, M.A., E. A. Von Kobza-Nagy, B.A., Dr. H. F. Bunje and Major R. L. Berridge, R.A. It is worthy of note that Von Kobza-Nagy has assisted with the judging since the inception of the competition.

Competitors are reminded that all entries must be handed in at the "Telegraph" Office, Morning Post Building not later than 5 p.m. tomorrow, September 30.

## TERRORISM RIFE IN FRANCE

Large-Scale Sabotage  
Special to the "Telegraph"

VICHY, Sept. 28 (UP).—The Paris afternoon newspapers reported terrorist high explosive attacks on German military convoys and French trains Wednesday night and throughout Thursday as a result of which the Germans shot "twenty particularly active Communists" in reprisal. It is presumed that this is the same twenty who were executed at Lille.

## Bohemia's Premier Arrested

State Of Emergency Declared

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Sept. 28 (UP).—The official news agency to-day said that General Alois Elias, Premier of Bohemia and Moravia has been arrested at Prague following the declaration of a state of civil emergency "on charges of having prepared high treason and treason to the country."

He will be tried by the People's Tribunal.

The state of civil emergency was declared after "irresponsible elements in the pay of European enemies committed a number of individual actions inimical to the Reich and who attempted to get the population of Bohemia and Moravia in opposition to the interests of the Reich."

## OPERATIONS OF WEEK BY RAF

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—R.A.F. operations over Germany and occupied territory during the week ending at dawn on September 28 were much reduced by unfavourable weather.

Strong forces of bombers and fighters made successful attacks in daylight on September 21 on the power station at Gosnay and railway objectives at Lille. All 24 German fighters were destroyed in these operations for the loss of 13 British fighters, but two British pilots were saved and no bombers were lost.

News was released this week of the new Hurricane equipped with powerful armament of 12 guns and four cannon. They have gained further successes against enemy shipping.

Shipping Attacked

In daylight on September 26, they attacked four mine-sweepers and two anti-aircraft ships, probably destroying the latter.

## Bader's Escape Attempt

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

ROME, Sept. 28 (UP).—It is reported that the famous legless flyer Bader, who received artificial legs by air from England after being taken prisoner by the Germans, tried to escape.

It is stated that his legs were given to him at a German hospital and several days later he calmly climbed out of a hospital window during the night, aided by blankets and walked away only to be picked up four days later 100 miles away trying to reach the sea coast.

## Contradictory Reports Of Hunan Offensive

Special to the "Telegraph"

SHANGHAI, Sept. 29 (UP).—The battle of propaganda over the occupation of Changsha continued to rage to-day with the Japanese reporting that Chinese civilian refugees who had fled from Changsha had begun returning to the city in large numbers late yesterday afternoon, while Japanese engineers began the restoration of the war damage caused to public utilities.

The Chungking military spokesman said that he had conversed by telephone with the Chinese headquarters at Changsha at 8 p.m. last night when headquarters acknowledged that a small unit of Japanese plain clothesmen had penetrated the suburbs an hour earlier; however, they were immediately rounded up.

He said that the main front remained unchanged during the past 24 hours, and that captured documents confirmed that the Japanese are merely foraging at present, looking for food to increase their depleted supplies.

## Italian Fortress Falls

LONDON, Sept. 28 (British Wireless).—A line communication states: "In East Africa, the garrison of Wolaita stronghold which has been besieged since April 11 and has now been without food supplies for a number of days, received orders to cease hostilities."

"Crowning their brilliant offensive and defensive action, Italian soldiers suffered on a last audacious sortie during which they faced and set to flight enemy forces which were superior in numbers and on which they inflicted heavy losses."

"In other sectors of the Gondar front, attempted enemy attacks have been promptly repulsed by efficient Italian reaction."

## Rigorous Food Policy Urged

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

TOKYO, Sept. 28 (UP).—The "Yomiuri Shimbun" to-day urged that the Government immediately enforce a rigorous foodstuffs policy and that it should give additional attention to the quality of the food as well as the quantity because there has recently been a decline in the constitutions of our people."

## Husbands' Plea To Receive Immediate Attention

Mr A. Duff-Copper has promised Hongkong husbands to give immediate attention to the resolution passed at the mass meeting recently pointing out the loss of morale in Hongkong owing to the continued evacuation restrictions as well as the appeal from wives in Australia emphasising their plight.

A cable was sent by Mr W. V. Taylor, hon. secretary of the Husbands' Evacuation Committee to Mr Duff-Copper on Friday, in which he mentioned both the resolution passed at the last meeting of husbands and the cable received from wives in Australia.

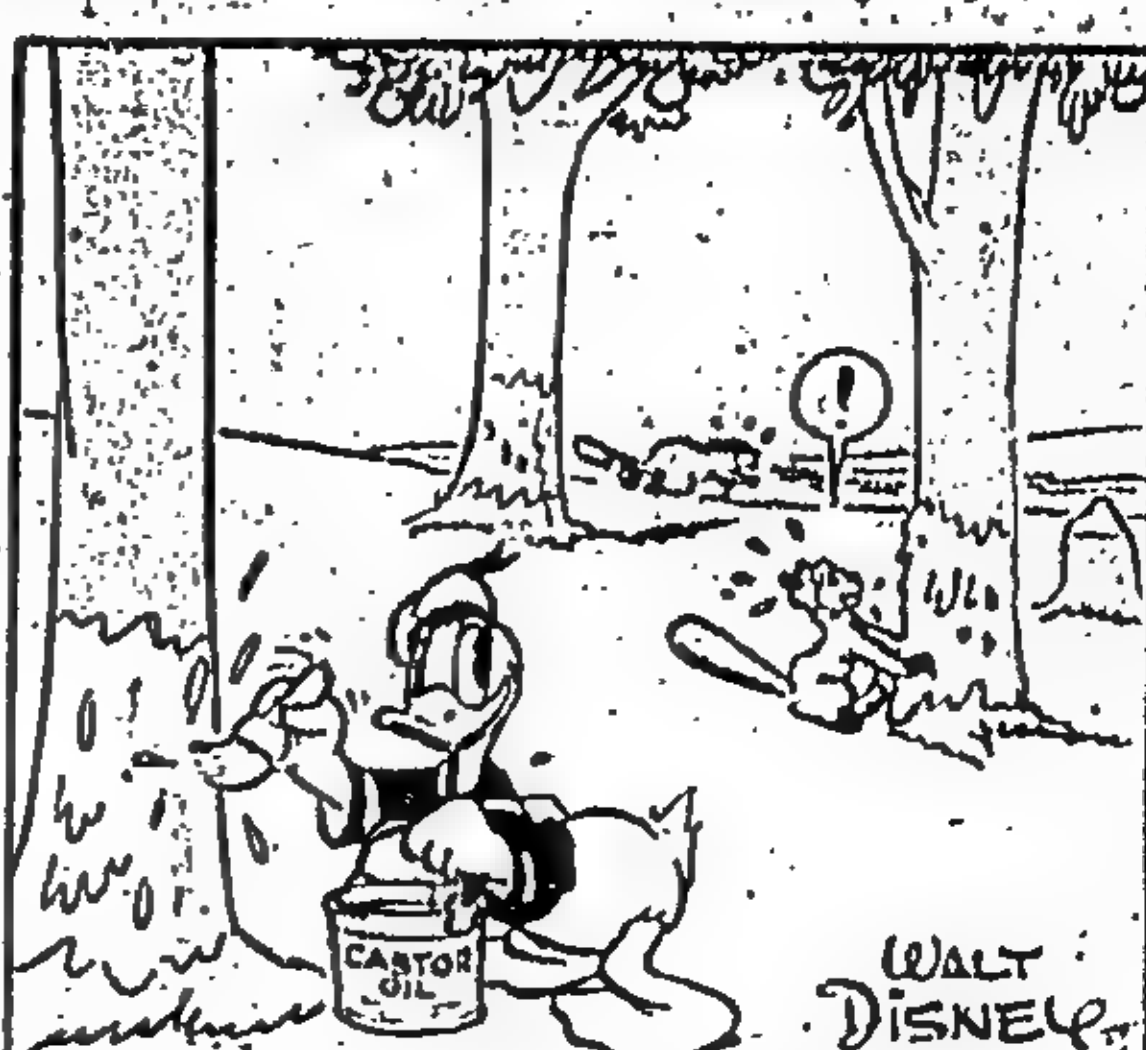
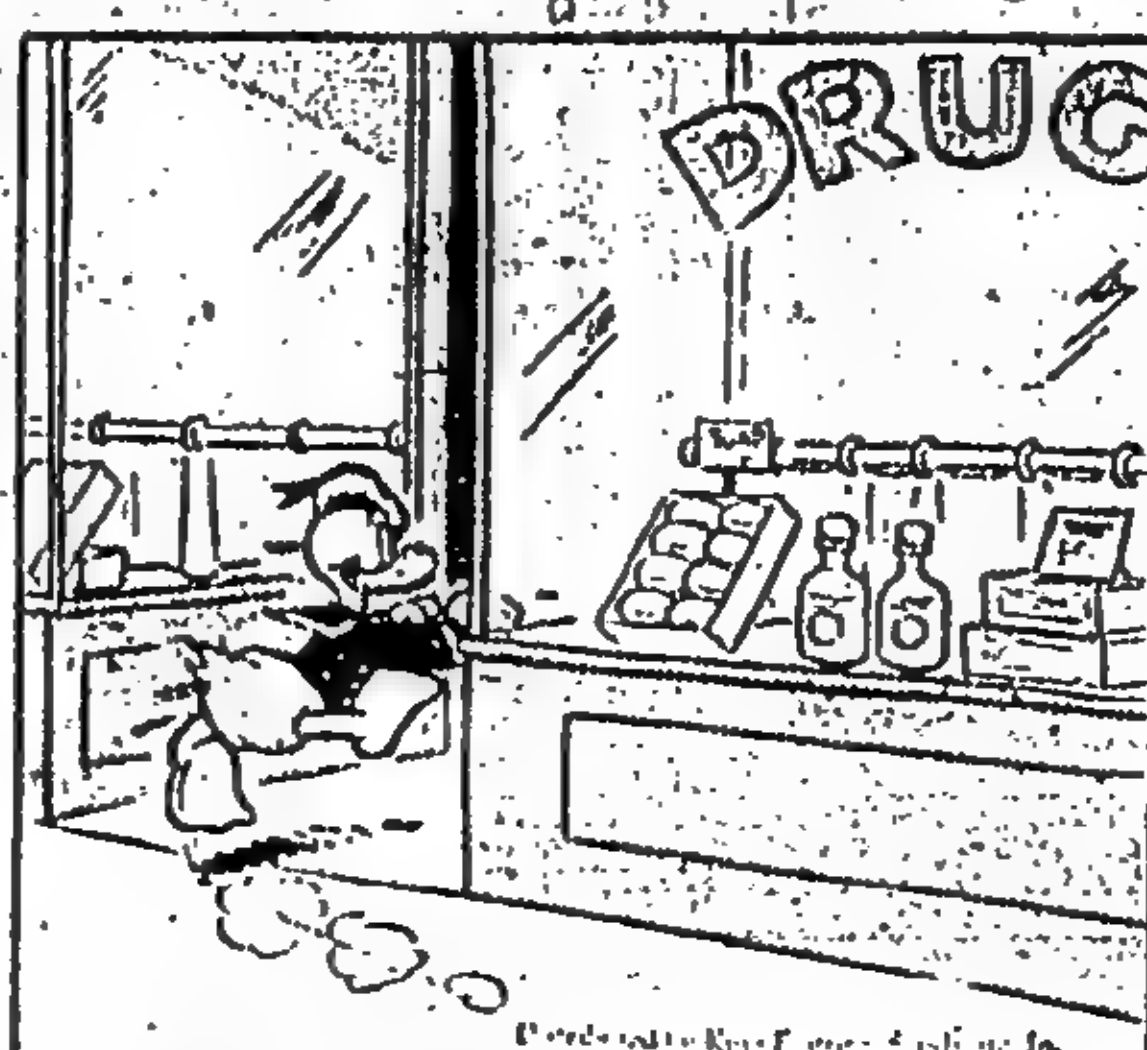
Mr Duff-Copper replied the following day and this cable was received by Mr Taylor this morning. It reads:

"Your cable to Mr Duff-Copper of the 26th received and is receiving immediate attention. Signed Private Secretary."

The resolution adopted at last Wednesday's meeting of husbands was to the effect that the morale of the Colony had been undermined through mismanagement and discrimination in the evacuation, while the wives' cable from Australia speaks of the wives' desperate position, mental distress and warning of serious results if the ban upon returning to Hongkong was not lifted.



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- The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved to the Hongkong Telegraph.
- All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.
- All entries to be either black and white, or colour, and must be mounted. Coloured photographs are ineligible.
- Pictures submitted in sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
- No picture to enter in more than one Section.
- Mounts to be only white of cream, must be of one of the following sizes:—10x12, 10x16.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Members of the Staff of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.
- At the conclusion of the Competition entries will be returned to competitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven days.
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## NOTICE

## TIN HAT DAY

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At the conclusion of the Drive on Saturday, sellers in Hongkong are requested to return their tins to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, and baskets to the Star Ferry Pier depot. Sellers in Kowloon are requested to return both tins and boxes to the European Y.M.C.A. depot.

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Vibro Piling \$.....7 n.  
Marsmans Inv. (Lon.) \$.....7/6 n.  
Marsmans Inv. (H.K.) \$.....1/6 n.

Corrupt Officials  
Executed In Changteh

CHANGTEH, Sept. 28 (Central News).—Wang Yu-shan and Cheng Pal-shi, sectional chief of the Changteh District Government respectively, Chang Chang-pu, Hsiung Chiu and Teng Ping, officers, were found guilty of corruption in connection with construction. They were executed yesterday morning by order of the military authorities.

## CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (Central News).

The Ministry of Interior has requested the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to report to the League of Nations Japanese encouragement of opium in the "occupied" areas, especially Inner Mongolia.

Woman Golf Champion  
Killed By Burglars

Special to the "Telegraph"

LEXINGTON, Ky. Sept. 28 (UP).—Miss Mariann Miley, 27, top-flight amateur golfer was shot and killed at the exclusive Lexington Country Club to-night by two masked burglars when she attempted to assist her mother who was beaten and shot three times and wounded critically.

The burglars ransacked the Club house and escaped with \$145.

Mrs. Miley, caretaker of the Club is the wife of Fred Miley, golf professional in Cincinnati. She was awakened by the burglars who were beating the door down, went into the hall where she was knocked unconscious and then shot. Mariann heard the commotion and went into the hall where she was shot in the head and in the back and instantly killed.

Mariann's golf titles included the Western Open, Western Women's Amateur, and the Southern trans-Mississippi tournaments.

Italian Staff  
Captured

Desert Interlude

CAIRO, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—

The capture of an Italian staff car by South Africans is mentioned in to-day's British Middle East communiqué.

The communiqué states: "Libya. Apart from ineffective enemy artillery fire, the situation at Tobruk throughout yesterday was generally quiet."

"In the frontier area our patrols continued their aggressive activities. Yesterday a South African patrol captured a staff car containing four Italian officers."

SOLDIER FACES  
GRAVE CHARGE

Edward Irvine McCrea, 21, gunner, Royal Artillery, Stanley, was re-manded by Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K. C., at Central Magistrate's Court this morning, on a charge of having ravished a 17-year-old girl named Cheung Yuet at No. 82, Bathing Shed at Stanley Beach on Thursday, September 25, against her will.

Det. Sergeant V. M. Morrison prosecuted.

The hearing was fixed for October 9 at 2.30 p.m.

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## 6.0 Indian Programme.

6.45 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

6.48 Chopin—Concerto No. 1 in E Minor, Op. 11. Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli.

7.22 The London Philharmonic Orchestra and Tiana Lemnitz (Sop.).

8.0 London Relay—The News.

8.15 London Relay—War Commentary.

8.25 London Relay—'Listening Post'. Examination of Points in Daily Propaganda.

8.30 Programme Summary.

8.32 Primo Scala's Accordion Band and Sam Browne (Vocal).

9.00 Local Time Signal and Announcements.

9.02 This Week's Programmes.

9.05 Studio—"Pencil Please."

A Variation of Variety produced by Leonard Starbuck.

9.45-10.00 News in French (On Short Wave Only).

9.45 Charlie Kunz at the Piano.

10.00 London—The News and News Commentary.

10.15 Dance Music.

11.0 London—"News From Home"—Discussion by Howard Marshall.

11.15—Close-Down.

Minister Arrives  
In London

LONDON, Sept. 28 (UP).—The United States Minister to Dublin, Mr David Grey, has arrived in London.

## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS

- Flat receptacle
- Smoothies
- Base of argument
- Following
- Revolutionary
- Abraham's
- Lower
- The man
- Animative
- Animative food
- Book list
- Troops
- Book acid salts
- Library
- Show to be true
- Examine again
- Dealer in books and writing implements
- Priestly vestment
- More serious
- Blind
- Small
- Water gas
- Power
- Disrupt
- Supplemental player
- Failed to follow
- Longed for
- Trembling

DOWN

- Learned
- French (French)
- Conducted
- Church officer
- Okla. Indian
- Book list again
- Appeal to God
- Library
- Transparent solids
- Combining form
- Abbas
- Food fish
- Bandoliers
- Mittie
- Legal profession
- Diminutive suffix
- Decay
- Night (Spanish pl.)
- Spread for drying
- Quality of steel
- Declared
- Kind of roses
- Hostile ones
- Wet
- Separate
- Kind of beer
- Kind water
- Blended
- Decay (French)
- Quality of plant
- Confession
- Formerly
- Touch lightly

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# MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY

## Kwong Wah Surprise South China 2-0

Dour Defence Defeats  
Tricky Forward Tactics  
Fast And Exciting Game

(By "SCRAMBLER")

THANKS TO A stubborn and spirited defence ably led by Lee Kwok-wai, ex-South China star, Kwong Wah were able to cause the first major upset of the season when they beat South China, last season's senior league champions, by two goals to nil at Caroline Hill yesterday.

But in fairness to the losers, it must be stated that at one period of the game when the winners were leading by only one, Lee Tak-kee and Chau Man-chi had Kwong Wah completely beaten only to see the shots rebounding to play after striking the cross and upright bars.

On the whole, the winners thoroughly deserved their win if only for their spirited display, and when South China were at one time all over them, they refused to give in, and heroic efforts of Lee Kwok-wai, ably assisted by Fok Yiu-wah and Yeung Tse-cheung and the excellent goal-keeping of Lee Kwok-kee frustrated all South China's efforts.

South China were the more polished team on view, but tactics such as adopted by several of their players were somewhat detrimental to their game. On the whole, South China's defence played as well as was to be expected, and it was only the atrocious luck that defeated them.

Kwong Wah had a dour defence. Never at any period did their men falter, and Lee Kwok-wai kept such a wary eye over the redoubtable Lee Wai-long that the latter was reduced to insignificance throughout. Never did the Kwong Wah player lift a foot wrongly throughout, and he was really the sheet anchor in Kwong Wah's team. Excellent support was forthcoming from Fok Yiu-wah who kept Lee Shek-yau and Chau Man-chi under very strict surveillance, with the result that the deft touches so much associated with this pair were absolutely missing. Yeung Tse-cheung went about his work unobtrusively, and lent his wing halves support whenever needed. Chung Fui-lam and Leung Pak-wai were also sound, the latter had Chin Chi-fai well under control.

### Fatal Blunder

South China made that fatal blunder in concentrating too much on Chan Tak-fai, and although this player was unable to do much himself, he made openings galore for his inside men. Chou Shek-ham was the live wire in the attack, and he was seen to good advantage when on the run. Both wings were only mediocre, perhaps the importance of the occasion had somewhat overawed them.

South China laid only themselves to blame for the result of the game.

### SPORTS ADVT.

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting to be held (weather permitting) on Friday, 10th and Saturday, 11th October, 1941, may be obtained from the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building, the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables; Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 2nd October, 1941.

By Order

S. A. SLEAP,  
Acting Secretary.

#### TIN HAT DAY

Saturday, Oct. 4, 1941

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Hongkong's Bomber Fund

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### Cricket

#### PROMISING PLAYERS AMONG NAVAL YARD POLICE

PROMISING MATERIAL was shown in the Royal Naval Yard Police cricket team which met and defeated the Police R.C. in a friendly game of cricket at Happy Valley yesterday.

With one of the opening batsmen (R. Burns) retiring after scoring 53, and with the other contributing 20 (H. Jackson), the naval yard police opened their innings in a healthy manner, and it was not surprising that they totalled 167 for 7 wickets and declared.

Apert from A. Kirby (25) and A. E. Carey (15) no other civil Police-men reached double-figures, and the naval men won by 94 runs.

The Naval Police side included several of the Australian men who have recently joined the force, and it was a very impressive initial turn-out.

R. Burns scored freely and reached the boundary on 10 occasions. T. Willard carried his bat for 29, while D. Dridger knocked up 30 including five fours.

Kirby and Carey were the only P.R.C. batsmen to reach double figures, the former scoring 25 including five boundaries.

R.N. DOCKYARD POLICE.

	C	M	R	W
White	0	2	30	1
Salter	4	1	21	0
Forrest	8	1	17	1
Clements	0	0	13	0
Danbrowsky	0	1	24	2
Shepherd	0	0	20	1
Extras (10)	0	0	0	0
Total	12	4	167	5

	C	M	R	W
Colbert	0	1	14	3
McGrath	4	2	11	1
Moore	0	1	10	1
Willard	0	1	10	1
Bellamy	2	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0	0
Extras (22)	0	0	0	0
Total	6	5	55	6

#### R.A.P.C. Score 40 And Win By 14 Runs!

PAY SECTIONS of the Army and the Volunteers met in a friendly game of cricket on the Navy ground yesterday, and though only a combined total of 66 runs were scored, a most enjoyable match was played.

The Army team scored a meagre 40 in reply to the Volunteer's 26, and thus won by 14 runs.

Scores were:  
R.A.P.C.—26 (Extras 14, Lt Taylor 7 for 3, Murray 3 for 0).  
R.A.P.C.—40 (Taylor 16, Happe 10, Hemming 2 for 6, Pinky 2 for 6, Clark 2 for 0).

ns from the start most of their players took matters lightly and indulged in childish pranks when in possession.

Tee Kam-hung was the stealer of the two backs, while the intermediate trio worked hard, and had the Kwong Wah attack well covered during the greater part of the game. Lam Tak-po delegated himself as a third back and played policeman to Chan Tak-fai.

The only man really to impress in South China's attack was Lee Tak-kee. He did everything but score, and many of his shots deserved a better fate than those that either just missed the goal or struck the bars. He gave his men good openings and several of his shots went very well.

#### Well Marked

Chau Man-chi was not very much like himself being slow in his movement. He was slow in his movement. He was slow in his movement.



Tam Kwan-hon (S. China goalie) leaping to intercept a high corner from Wong King-cheung (Kwong Wah) in the South China-Kwong Wah match at Caroline Hill yesterday.—Ming Yuen.

### Lawn Bowls Championship

## All-Craigengower Pairs Final

Three Omar Brothers  
And S. R. Solina Win  
Semi-Finals Yesterday

CRAIGENGOWER, the League Champions, are well represented for the final of the Open Pairs lawn bowls championship of the Colony all four of the finalists being from that Club. Yesterday, in the semi-finals at the Kowloon F.C., A. M. and U. M. Omar beat L. J. Silva and J. F. V. Ribeiro 25-14, and S. R. Solina and K. M. Omar beat W. L. Walker and R. Duncan 27-22.

The more creditable victory of the two was undoubtedly that of K. M. Omar and Solina, for their opponents, Walker and Duncan, were anticipated finalists. The winners came strongly from behind, being down 21-15 on the 14th and won over the last two heads only.

In the early stages of the game, before either Omar or Solina had settled down, the Bowling Green pair chalked up two 5's—one on the 3rd end and the other on the 7th.

Walker was showing a great superiority over Solina, and Omar was more than matched by Duncan.

From there Walker and Duncan went to 10-10, 20-12 and eventually 21-14, but then commenced the Craigengower pair's winning recovery.

#### Grand Recovery

AN EXCELLENT 4 on the 16th put them within three shots of the opponent (16-21), 2 on the 17th put them on behind (20-21) and the 3 on the 18th put them out in front for the first time since the second head (23-21).

Omar had definitely found touch. His first signs of recovery were during the 16th when he trailed the Jack with a brilliant shot to register the 4 that put them on the road to victory.

Even after their scoring of 2 on the 20th, which put them 25-22 in the lead, the game was not won, for the last head featured some great bowling, and it was only finer touch that gave them the right to enter the final.

If only for their form over the last heads, they deserved to win, though on relative form none would have denied credit to Walker and Duncan had they won, instead.

The Bowling Green pair had showed consistency throughout, and were forced to bow to superior bowling in the closing stages.

Scores were:

Solima & Omar	0 3 0 3 3 0 0 2
Walker & Duncan	0 1 2 0 1 0 0 4 2 3 0 2 2=27

Walker & Duncan: 2 0 5 0 0 1 5 0 1 0 0 1 0 0=22

Omar Brothers Through

A. M. AND U. M. OMAR, the other finalists, had an easier passage against L. J. Silva and J. F. V. Ribeiro. For a short period from the 5th to 14th ends, the Ribeiro bowlers enjoyed the lead, but the Omar brothers scored on seven of the last 10 heads, and by simply consistent bowling ran out winners at 25-14.

The winners scored two 4's on the 3rd and 18th, and occupied the centre of the picture for the second half of the game.

A. M. Omar had the better of Silva throughout, but for the first seven heads, Ribeiro bowled brilliantly on several occasions saving the position with excellent draws.

The scores first levelled at 5-all on the 5th, and from then until the score levelled again at 9-all on the 10th, the Portuguese pair were in the lead, though slight.

From 11-9, the Omars went to 17-10, 22-11 and 25-12. Silva and Ribeiro succeeded in laying two on the last head but the game was already over.

Omar: 0 3 0 2 3 1 2 1 0 4 0 0 1 0=25

Silva & Ribeiro: 1 0 0 3 1 2 0 1 1 0 1 0 2 1=14

### Goscombe-O'Sullivan Cup Bowls Matches

The following were the result of yesterday's matches in the Goscombe-O'Sullivan Cup Inter-Departmental Lawn Bowls Competition:

P.W.D. (R. P. Shaw, Robertson, K. S. Robertson, A. Brookbank (skip) beat Medical Department (D. J. Valentine, R. P. Edwards, L. R. Collyer, and T. Pile (skip) 23-8.

Harbour Department (J. Hoosen, J. L. Stephens, V. Chittenden, W. R. Lillier (skip) beat Police "C" (A. Soutar, C. Pile, F. Channing, J. W. MacDonald (skip) 19-16.

Medical "C" (Dr. G. I. Shaw, C. Strange, G. Ecclesall, H. K. Lockhart (skip) beat Police "A" (H. McLeod, J. Davis, F. G. Post, J. C. S. Fender (skip) 19-15.

Medical "A" (F. Anslow, Dr. Newton, Dr. Selby, J. McGowan (skip) beat Police "B" (J. Hayward, J. Riddell, J. Orem, J. Aitken (skip) 22-11.

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## Rajputs "A" Second In Miniature Rifle League

R.A.F. Break Record Again

Results returned for the September 21 period in the First Division of the Hongkong Rifle Association's Miniature Rifle League show that Rajputs "A" have displaced Police "A" as runners-up in the premier division, although with seven matches yet to be shot there is still considerable speculation as to who will achieve the honour.

There seems little doubt, however, that Police Reserve will be the first winners of the Grasett Challenge Trophy.

The Second Division R.E. Stonecutters cannot be quite so confident of annexing the trophy presented by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Pennfather-Evans, as they have still to shoot against Royal Scots "C" Coy. "B" and Police "B" their closest rivals, although R.E. Stanley helped them by returning the highest Second Division aggregate of the season to beat Police "B" 370-345.

Royal Air Force once more broke the aggregate record in the Aperture Sight League defeating Police "A" 308-287 and are now well on the way to victory.

Two "Possibles" were returned by Cpl. Henley (R.A.F.) and Sgt Russell (H.K.P.F. "B").

Highest Open sight scores of the period were as follows:

A.S.I. P. H. Thong (H.K.P.F.)	90
Sgt Jones (R.E. Stanley)	90
Sgt Melle (R. Scots "B" Coy)	90
2/Lt Bhanwarlal Singh (Rajput "C")	90
Nav. Chiragh Ahmad (Rajput "E")	90
Nav. Wajid (R. Scots "B" Coy)	90
Nav. Abdul Rahman (Rajput "E")	90
Nk. Aljab Hussain (Rajput "E")	90
L/Cpl Burns (R. Scots "B" Coy)	94

Results of matches completed on September 21 were as follows:

#### FIRST DIVISION—OPEN SIGHTS

Riddlesex "B" (300) v 2nd/14th Punjab "B" (320)	333-300
Rajput "A" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "A" (350)	350-300
Rajput "B" (300) v Royal Scots "B" Coy (340)	340-300
Rajput "C" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "C" (340)	340-300
Rajput "D" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "D" (340)	340-300
Rajput "E" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "E" (340)	340-300
Rajput "F" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "F" (340)	340-300
Rajput "G" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "G" (340)	340-300
Rajput "H" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "H" (340)	340-300
Rajput "I" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "I" (340)	340-300
Rajput "J" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "J" (340)	340-300
Rajput "K" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "K" (340)	340-300
Rajput "L" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "L" (340)	340-300
Rajput "M" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "M" (340)	340-300
Rajput "N" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "N" (340)	340-300
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Rajput "Z" (300) v 5th/7th Rajput "Z" (340)	340-300

It is hoped that further matches will be arranged in the future.

#### SECOND DIVISION

R.C. "A" (300) v 4th (F. Coy R.E. (351)	351-300
R.C. "B" (300) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-300
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R.C. "D" (300) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-300
R.C. "E" (300) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-300
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#### APERTURE SIGHTS

H.K. Police "B" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "C" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "D" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "E" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "F" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "G" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "H" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "I" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "J" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "K" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "L" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "M" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "N" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "O" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "P" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "Q" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "R" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "S" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "T" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "U" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "V" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "W" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "X" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "Y" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340
H.K. Police "Z" (340) v R.E. Stanley (310)	310-340

It is hoped that further matches will be arranged in the future.

\*Cards not returned.

\*Shot at 20 yds.

## Australian Club Beat Hongkong In Postal Match

The result of the 22 Aperture sight postal match between H.K.R.A. team and combined Essendon and Collingwood Rifle Clubs of Melbourne, Australia, has just been received.

The H.K.R.A. team lost by 10 points. It is noteworthy that indices returned the fourth and fifth highest scores for the Australian team.

ESSENDON AND COLLINGWOOD

F. C. Taylor	100
J. F. Gabel	90
Mrs Harding	90
Mrs Dobbins	90
W. R. Bray	90
F. C. Gray	90
T. Davidson	90
Total	760

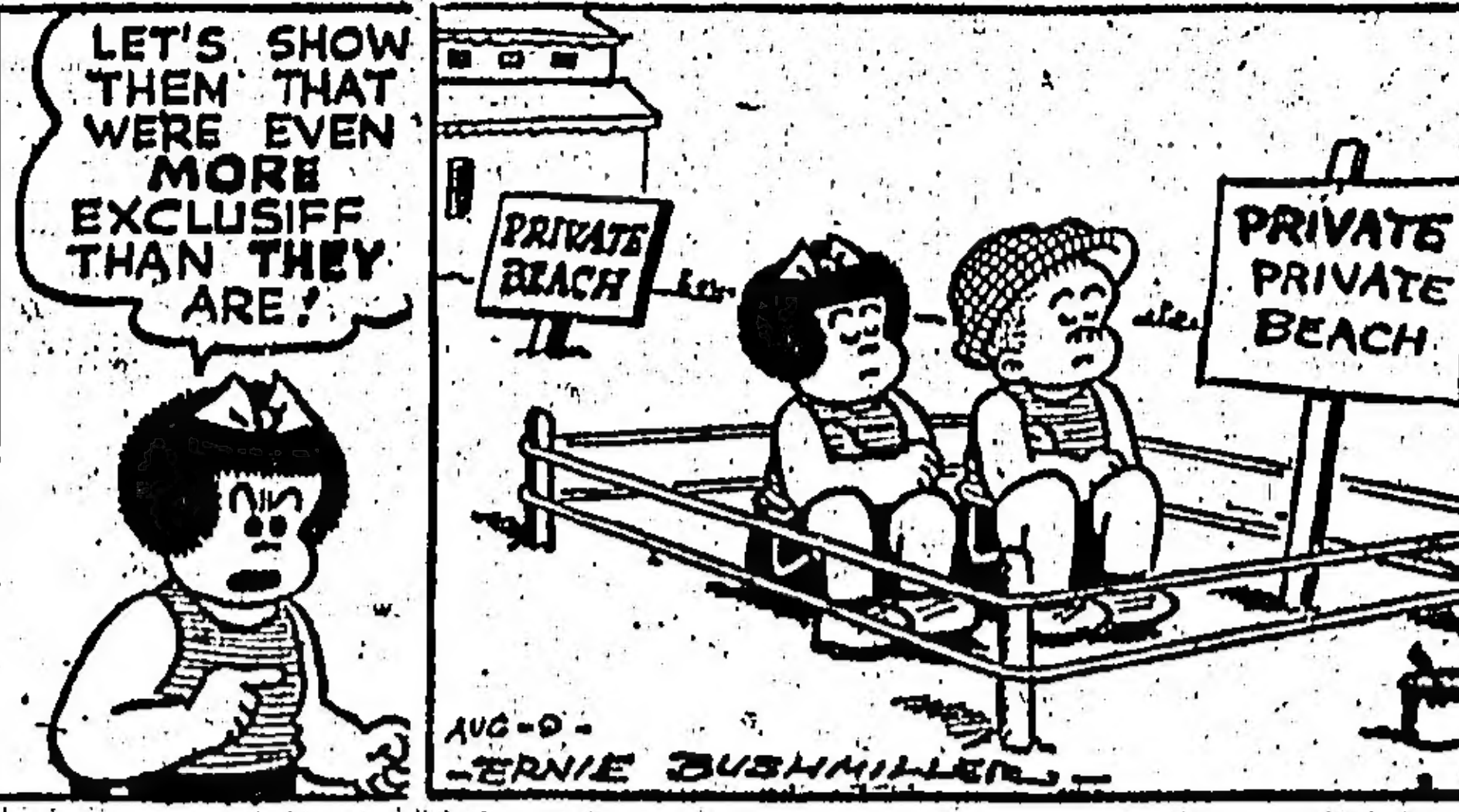
Measures G. Hunt (95) and E. Jones (94) were counted out.

H.K. Rifle Association

W. O. Tolleran R.A.F.	90
Cpl Henley R.A.F.	90
Sgt Wall H.K.P.F.	90
Sgt Purn Singh H.K.P.F.	90
Inspr Hopkins H.K.P.F.	90
F. O. Gray R.A.F.	90
Cpl Gash R.A.F.	90
Sgt Russell H.K.P.F.	90
Total	760



## NANCY



## Chinese High Command Shows Fine Confidence

Special to the "Telegraph"

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (UP).—It is authoritatively stated that the Chinese High Command is very confident of a large-scale success in the Changsha battle, regardless of the fate of the city as the Chinese are employing large armies, including considerable reinforcements for one of the biggest mopping-up moves against six Japanese divisions.

The authorities said that a quick victory was unlikely the Chinese objective requiring steam-roller efforts.

It is reliably stated that Japanese plainclothes soldiers have been rounded up in the immediate Changsha defence sector this afternoon. A military spokesman said that he had conversed over the telephone with General Hauch Yuen this afternoon who reported that bloody fighting was raging on the outskirts of Changsha where six Japanese divisions were doing their utmost to occupy the city, while Japanese fifth columnists were working inside the city. He reported that Chinese bombers heavily attacked the Japanese forces at Changsha to-day.

### Japanese Claims

SHANGHAI, Sept. 28 (UP).—The Japanese South China Command to-day announced that Japanese forces were advancing along the North River into North Kwangtung with little Chinese resistance.

"Domel" declared that successful conclusion of the drive would give the Japanese control of the entire length of the Canton-Hankow Railway when linked up with the Japanese occupation of Changsha, indicating that the Japanese may be planning the largest offensive since the fall of Hankow in 1938, aimed ultimately at severing South China into two sectors lying east and west of the Canton-Hankow Railway.

### Heavy Fighting

CHANGSHA, Sept. 28 (8 p.m.) (Central News).—The Chinese troops are still holding out north of the Laotao River, at Shih-tsun and Huangtuashih outside Changsha.

Apart from Japanese bombings, the situation to-day was comparatively quiet. Several hundreds of Japanese plainclothes men sneaked through the Chinese first line of defence to the northeast suburbs of Changsha last night. They were completely annihilated this morning.

### North River Area

YINGTAK, Sept. 28 (Central News).—A Japanese drive towards Taingyun, North River town 44 miles northwest of Canton, has lost much of its vigour after meeting with strong Chinese resistance. Early this morning the Japanese column made its way to Puttyoshan (Tiger Head Hill), east of Taingyun, and was engaged by the Chinese.

### Japanese Closing In

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH". ON THE LIUYANG RIVER, Sept. 29 (Domel).—Striking southwest across the Liuyang River, strong Japanese Army units are closing in on Chushow, centre of Chinese political, economic and transport activities in central Hunan at the juncture of the Hankow-Canton and

### Major Baseball

## New York Yankees White-washed

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (UP).—With the National and American League pennant won, the Yankees in the coming World Series. In the remaining league games, however, feature of to-day's schedule was the defeat of the New York Yankees by the Washington Senators. Scores were:

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Washington	5	9	0
New York	0	4	0
Batteries—Hudson; Evans.			
Brooklyn	0	4	0
Batteries—Breuer; Stancu; Branch.			
Dickey	3	0	0
Chicago	0	0	0
Batteries—Lee; Tresh.			
Cleveland	0	0	0
Batteries—Bridges; Newcom; Tebbets.			
St. Louis	0	0	0
Batteries—Dean; Basky; Desautels.			
Philadelphia	0	0	0
Batteries—Munier; Ferrill.			
Boston	0	0	0
Batteries—Newcom; Wagner; Pylak.			
Philadelphia	0	0	0
Batteries—Fowler; Vaughan; Shirley.			
Hayes	0	0	0
Batteries—Grove; Johnson; Peacock.			
Batteries—Callahan; Wagner.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Philadelphia	0	0	0
Batteries—Hughes; Melton; Livingston.			
Brooklyn	0	0	0
Batteries—French; Chapman; Owen.			
Pittsburgh	0	0	0
Batteries—Clemens; Smith.			
Cincinnati	0	0	0
Batteries—Waller; West.			
St. Louis	0	0	0
Batteries—Beezy; Cooney.			
Chicago	0	0	0
Batteries—Meers; Erickson; Schelling.			
New York	0	0	0
Batteries—Kohl; Danning.			
Boston	0	0	0
Batteries—Johnson; Masi.			

## Valley Golf Team To Play Kowloon

The following are selected to represent the Happy Valley Golfers against Kowloon Golf Club on October 12.

Names are in alphabetical order. Playing order will be published later.

H. H. Mundy (Captain), N. J. Bebbington, N. J. Booker, A. C. I. Bowler, M. A. Cairns, G. Davies, E. Greenwood, L. M. S. Lloyd, J. W. Macdonald, A. McKellar, A. H. Penn, K. S. Robertson, J. A. R. Selby, W. Sharp, W. A. Stewart, W. Stoker, J. M. Thomson and G. E. Willerton.

## CHUNGKING RAID ALARM

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH". CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (UP).—The air raid alarm was hoisted for an hour and 50 minutes starting at 1.10 p.m. It is learned that three Japanese planes, presumably reconnoitering, flew over Chinese aerodromes to ascertain whether United States planes had arrived.

## Exchange At A Glance

SELLING	
T.T. London	1/2 1/2
Demand London	1/2 1/2
T.T. Shanghai	460
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2
T.T. Japan	102 1/2 n.
T.T. India	82 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	24 1/2
T.T. Manila	49 1/2
T.T. Batavia	40 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	148
T.T. Saigon	100
T.T. France	107
T.T. Switzerland	107
T.T. Australia	1/8 1/4

BUYING	
4 m/s L/C London	1/3 1/4
4 m/s D/P London	1/3 1/4
4 m/s L/C U.S.A.	25 1/4
4 m/s France	84 1/2
30 d/s India	84 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.02 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in N.Y.	—

## Kwong Wah Surprise S. China

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ments, and as for Lee Wai-long, he was too well marked by Lee Kwok-wai to be of much danger. The two wings sent across some good centres, and the left winger, Lee Shek-yau, wasted innumerable chances by his slow methods in paring with the ball.

Both keepers had a lot to do throughout, and Lee Kwok-kee came out of the afternoon fray with flying colours, for he saved at least on three occasions by diving full length for the ball.

**The Play**  
For the first five minutes play was confined to South China's half where Chin Chi-fan's centre was well held by Tam Kwan-hon, which was followed by Cheuk Chek-kun, ballooning over when well placed. At the other end, Lee Wai-long's pass to Chin Chi-fai saw the latter transferring the ball to Lee Shek-yau only to see him robbed by Fok Yiu-wah.

Chau Man-chi was given possession but was unable to do much with Young Tse-cheung at his heels. However, following a passing bout, Chau Man-chi tested Lee Kwok-kee but did not find the keeper wanting in his duty.

From a breakaway Wong King-chung was given the ball, but was robbed by Tsang Chung-wan. As the latter was dallying with the ball, Chan Tak-fai cut across and sent in a cross shot which deflected off Tam Kwan-hon's foot. But Chin Chi-fan came across to crash the ball into the net to give Kwong Wah the lead.

**Agony Attacking**  
With the score against them, South China once again took up the attack in the second period, but had luck faced them every time they took a shot at goal.

Lee Tak-kee came into the picture with several good efforts but at least two of his shots had Lee Kwok-kee well placed to strike the bar. Kwong Wah had several hectic minutes in front of their goal, as South China did everything bar scoring. The situation was relieved when Lee Kwok-wai robbed Chau Man-chi and booted the ball to Tin Yung-fat. However with the attacks coming as it did at the most crucial period of the game, Kwong Wah's defence held out. Further efforts by Chau Man-chi and Lee Tak-kee proved unavailing.

**Second Goal**  
Much against the run of the play, Kwong Wah obtained the second goal, from a breakaway they forced a corner from which Cheuk Shek-kun headed the ball into the net. Previous to this Tam Kwan-hon had to run well out of the area in stopping Chin Chi-fan from scoring as by now the whole of South China's team were concentrating in attack.

Towards the end of the game South China made several positional changes but to no effect, although just before full time Lee Kwok-kee had to dive full length in effecting a save from Lau Chung-sang. Kwan-hon; Tsang Chung-wan, Tse Kam-hung; Lau Hing-choy, Lam Tak-po, Lau Chung-sang; Chin Chi-fai, Lee Tak-kee, Lee Wai-long, Chau Man-chi, Lee Shek-yau.

Kwong Wah: Lee Kwok-kee, Chung Fat-lan, Lee Kwok-wai; Fok Yiu-wah, Young Tse-cheung, Leung Pak-wai; Chin Chi-fan, Tin Yung-fat, Chan Tak-fai, Cheuk Shek-kun, Wong King-chung.

### Death For Listening

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—A 60-year-old man has been sentenced to death by a special court at Nuremberg for listening to foreign broadcasts, according to the German news agency.

At Gdansk in Poland a special German court sentenced a Pole to death on the same charge.

## Miss Ho Wai-king Again Breaks National Records

Three Chinese National records were shattered at the All-Chinese Schools' Swimming gala at Lai-chihok yesterday. The gala was held under the auspices of the Hongkong and Kowloon Residents' Union Clubs.

Miss Ho Wai-king broke two National records by returning the excellent time of 35.2 seconds for the Women's 50 metres free-style and 1 minute 32.9 secs for the Women's 100 metres backstroke. Yau Sai-kwan, clocking 21 minutes 20 seconds, broke the record for the Men's 1,500 metres free-style.

Mr. Leung Tung-fung, Hon. Advisor of the Club, presented the prizes. Results were as follow:

Men's 150 metres medley relay—1. Hing Chuen School "A"; 2. Canton University; 3. Hing Chuen School "B". 41-4 seconds.  
Women's 150 metres medley relay—1. Canton University; 2. Hing Chuen School "A". 2 min. 11 sec.  
Men's 50 metres free-style—1. Tang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"); 2. Chan Chiu-cheong (Canton "U"); 3. John Dai (Hing Chuen). 29.3 sec.  
Women's 50 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king; 2. Ng Po-ling (Hing Chuen). 35.2 sec. (Chinese National record).  
Men's 200 metres breast-stroke—1. Chan Chiu-cheong (Hing Chuen); 2. Wong Lok-tin (Hing Chuen); 3. Tang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"). 3 min. 28.1 sec.  
Women's 200 metres breast-stroke—1. Ng Shiu-in (Hing Chuen); 2. Sham Wai-ying (Canton "U"); 3. Chan Chiu-cheong (Hing Chuen). 5 min. 46 sec.  
Men's 100 metres free-style—1. Tang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"); 2. Chan Chiu-cheong (Hing Chuen); 3. Chong Sheu-ping (Kwok Man). 32.2 sec.  
Women's 100 metres free-style—1. Ho Wai-king; 2. Sum Put (Canton "U"); 3. Tang Fung-kwan. 1 min. 24 sec.  
Men's 400 metres free-style—1. Yau Sai-kwan (Canton "U"); 2. Cheong Sheu-ping (Kwok Man); 3. Tang Cheong-ming (Canton "U"). 5 min. 28.1 sec.  
Women's 400 metres free-style—1. Sum Put; 2. Ng Chiu-in (Hing Chuen). 8 mins. 4 sec.  
Men's 100 metres back-stroke—1. John Dai; 2. Young Man-choi (Hing Chuen). 2 min. 23.4 sec.  
Women's 100 metres back-stroke—1. Ho Wai-king; 2. Tang Fung-kwan; 3. Sum Put. 1 min. 32.6 sec. (Chinese National record).  
Men's 1,500 metres free-style—1. Yau Sai-kwan (Canton "U"); 2. Cheong Sheu-ping; 3. Chan Chiu-cheong. 21 mins. 20 sec. (Chinese National record).  
Men's 500 metres free-style relay—1. Hing Chuen School "A"; 2. Canton University; 3. Hing Chuen School "B". 2 min. 4.4 sec.  
Women's 500 metres free-style relay—1. Canton University; 2. Hing Chuen School. 2 min. 49.3 sec.

## Latest Donations To Bomber Fund

Saturday's collections for the Bomber Fund included the thirtieth donation from Lombard Evening (120) and the twenty-first from the Sui Yuen Club (200). The following are the latest donations:

Mr. J. J. Lousius (seventh donation) 10  
Lombard Evening (thirtieth donation) 120  
Sui Yuen Club (twenty-first donation) 200  
Capt. J. J. Lousius (seventh donation) 10  
Lombard Evening (thirtieth donation) 120  
Sui Yuen Club (twenty-first donation) 200

**EMERGENCY REFUGEE COUNCIL**  
The S. C. M. Post has received the following donation to the Emergency Refugee Council:

Sympathisers (11th donation) \$10.  
The following are subscriptions received to date for credit to the British Fund for Relief of Chinese in China, Hongkong and South China Branch, towards Orthopaedic Centres in Free China.

Previously acknowledged, \$112,433.20.  
Mr. Lan Tze-ching, \$10; the Hongkong International Medical Relief Committee, \$200; Mr. Leung Chi-ling, \$10; Mr. Kan Che-nam, \$20; Mr. H. G. Langford, \$10; Mr. Lan Yung-ling, \$20; the Hongkong Chinese Civil Servants Club, \$50; Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Ng, in memory of the late Mr. Dennis E. Smith, \$10; Y. Y. Men's Club of Hongkong, \$200. Total \$112,513.20.

The S. C. M. Post has received the following donations to the Blind Girls' Pension Fund:

Capt. J. J. Lousius, \$10; Robert Lay, \$10; K. C. Tseung, \$5.

**AWAITING COLLECTION**  
Donations for the following Organizations await collection at the office of the S. C. M. Post: Emergency Refugee Council; Food Kitchens Fund; St. John Ambulance Brigade; British Prisoners of War Fund; China Defence League; Talpo Rural Orphanage; Blind Girls' Home, B.W.O.P.; Blind Girls' Home.

**Ex-Shah's Travels**  
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH". LONDON, Sept. 28 (UP).—A dispatch from Tcheran states that the former Shah accompanied by his family embarked from a mail boat at Banderah on Saturday. His destination is reported to be Chile.



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## OPERATIONS OF WEEK BY RAF

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traying two mine-sweepers and damaging the anti-aircraft ships. British fighters also sank a patrol vessel off the French coast. The Coastal Command also made successful attacks on enemy ships off the coast of Norway. A 5,000-ton supply ship was hit and a 6,000-ton supply ship is also believed to have been hit.

Docks at Calais, Dunkirk and Boulogne were raided by Bomber Command aircraft as were also objectives at Cologne and Western Germany.

Over N. France

In the afternoon of September 27, a big air sweep over France of Blenheim with a fighter escort was made. The railway centre at Amiens and the railway junction near Laval, see was bombed with good results. Twenty-one enemy fighters were destroyed in 13 British.

The attack was the week's heaviest and Germany sent up more fighters than had been seen for a long time. During the week's operations, 28 British aircraft are missing but five pilots are safe. Forty-five German fighters were destroyed.

Our Fighters Over France

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—R.A.F. fighters to-day carried out offensive patrols over Occupied France. Attacks were made with cannon fire on a supply train and also two petrol wagons which were set alight.

Aircraft on the ground, troops and machine-gun posts were also attacked and an anti-aircraft gun was silenced, says the Air Ministry.

No British aircraft was missing. It is now known that one of the British fighters reported lost in the operations over Northern France on Saturday afternoon is safe. There was no enemy activity over Britain during daylight to-day.

## TERRORISM RIFE IN FRANCE

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from Paris in the direction of Belgium and the north coast ports.

The militants who were executed were hand picked from those who were known regionally for these great Communist activities. They were chosen from hundreds of Communists who are being held preventively or as hostages after their arrest for sabotage or agitation.

Lille is the steel centre and while it is the principal railway division terminus in North France, it has long been a hotbed of Communism. The executions brought the total to 69 since August 13, of which 49 were within ten days, 25 being in the last two days.

## Germans From Iran Arrive In Turkey

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lunch for the refugees, who looked sad and depressed and did not "Hill" as customary at mass gatherings of Germans. On the whole the refugees did not look happy at the prospect of returning to the Fatherland.

At Istanbul LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—A party of Axis diplomats returning from Iran with their wives and children arrived at Istanbul this morning, according to an Istanbul dispatch to the official German news agency.

The Germans in the party are being accommodated in two large Rumanian steamers, "Transylvania" and "Bessarabia".

The Bulgarian Charge d'Affaires in Tehran, M. Dzhinov, was among the travellers.

## Leningrad Situation Improves

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one destroyer and heavily damaged two other destroyers.

"On September 27, two German reconnaissance planes were brought down over Moscow and on September 28 two enemy bombers."

Russians Advance MOSCOW, Sept. 28 (UP).—Following the local counter-offensive at Staraya Russa, 125 miles south of Leningrad, due west of the Moscow-Leningrad railroad, the Russians have pierced the German fortifications, advanced and captured five villages, according to the "Red Star." Fierce fighting is still raging in this sector.

## Sequel To d'Aguilar Tragedy

An inquiry into the circumstances attending the death of Bombardier Dennis Edward Smith of the Hong-kong Volunteers will open at 10 o'clock this afternoon before Mr. H. G. Sheldon, sitting as Coroner at the Central Magistracy.

Bombardier Smith died after an accident at Cape d'Aguilar on August 12, when a lorry in which he was travelling ran over a steep embankment.

The theft of \$2,000 in money has been reported by Mrs. Lawrie, of No. 1 Chelmsford Street, yesterday. The report stated that the thief entered the house through an open front door.

## ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE

Earns Prison And Cat

"You have been convicted of robbery on very clear evidence. I said two Sessions ago that as far as I was concerned, anyone convicted of this offence, particularly if arms were used, would receive no mercy at all from me. You used violence, in trying to escape these defenceless women before proceeding to rob them," declared the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice P. E. F. Cressall at the Criminal Sessions this morning, when he sentenced Hung Pui-wan, 24, to five years' hard labour and 12 strokes of the "cat" on a charge of robbery.

Accused was alleged to have robbed a woman, Wu Yuk-chun, of four rings, a gold necklace, a gold toothpick, a gold ear-pick, a wrist watch, \$170 Hongkong money, and \$120 Chinese money, and another woman, Ng Suk-chun, of three finger rings, two pairs of gold ear-rings and a watch at their home, No. 29 Wing King Street, ground floor, Causeway Bay, on August 11.

Mr. J. Reynolds, Crown Counsel, prosecuted with the assistance of Detective Sub-Inspector F. W. Fowle.

Ring At Door

Relating the facts, Mr. Reynolds said that about 4 p.m. on August 11, while Wu's husband was away from the house, the door-bell rang. The door was opened by one of Wu's children and a man entered. Wu Yuk-chun asked him what he wanted and the man produced a knife with which he threatened her and told her not to make a noise. Two other men followed him into the house and Ng Suk-chun was pushed into a room where she and some children were tied up with wire. The robbers ransacked the premises, and after a stay of half-an-hour, escaped with the jewellery and money mentioned in the charge.

Accused was arrested on August 18 at Apichau, and at an identification parade the next day, was picked out by Wu Yuk-chun. Accused was charged with the offence the same day, but denied taking part.

Threat At Parade

Following corroborative evidence by the two women, Mr. B. C. Fay, Assistant Superintendent of Police who conducted the identification parade, said that when Wu Yuk-chun picked out Accused and described what he was alleged to have done, Accused told her to be careful what she said.

Accused, when asked if he wished to give evidence in his defence, declined, saying that he would leave the case to the Jury to decide.

After a short retirement, the Jury returned a unanimous verdict of guilty.

Mr. Reynolds informed the Court that none of the stolen property had been recovered.

## BIANCAMANO WILL SAIL UNDER PANAMA FLAG

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (UP).

—The Italian liner Conte Biancamano will be transferred to Panamanian registry and operated by the United States Lines between New York, Canada, Iceland and Britain.

The liner is the largest Axis ship seized by the United States and is now at Balboa where repairs are being made to the engines which suffered from sabotage. She will sail soon for New York to drydock and will then enter the new service. She will be manned by a foreign crew.

## LATE NEWS

### INQUEST ON BDR. SMITH OPENS

The inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of Bombardier Dennis Edward Smith of the Hong-kong Volunteers which occurred on August 12 opened this afternoon at the Central Magistracy before Mr. H. G. Sheldon who sat with a special jury composed of Messrs. David Drummond (foreman), J. Ormiston and Tony Man-yau.

Mr. Sheldon, addressing the jury said that at 9.30 on the evening of August 12 at Cape d'Aguilar a six-ton lorry driven by Bombardier Roscoe who was a Regular soldier of the R.A. came from Cape d'Aguilar and travelled with a total complement of 17 men, of whom 15 were members of the H.K.V.D.C., and Private Roscoe and Private Charles of the R.E.

They proceeded along for some two miles until they came to a spot in the road about half a mile before the Shokko Road. About that place there was a sudden jolting of the rear part of the lorry, according to witnesses, and the next thing was that the lorry had fallen over the side of the hill and it was subsequently found in the position in the photograph (produced).

In addition to the 17 men in the lorry the vehicle also carried a large cable which was around a drum fixed just behind the place where the seats were placed. As far as evidence, which would be given, shows, there seemed to be nothing in the matter which could be said to be the cause of the accident.

The speed was very low calculated to be 10 m.p.h. and what actually happened he frankly did not know. One could surmise, of course, on Roscoe's part a slight error of judgment. The rear wheel did go over the left side of the road and unfortunately the lorry toppled over resulting in the death of Smith and injuries to others.

"Gentlemen you have been summoned here because a valuable young life has been lost under such tragic circumstances," said Mr. Sheldon, "and it is desirable that the cause should be ascertained before a special jury which is the best kind of tribunal we can get, concludes the Coroner."

## Tri-Power Delegates to Talk Aid to Russia

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fore discuss how to distribute war supplies which the United States does not require for her own expanding forces between the Soviet Union, the British home front, and the British forces in the Near East and the Far East, and how much of Britain's output can be sent to the Soviet Union.

Raw Materials

The conference will also consider how much aid the Powers can give each other in strategic raw materials. It thus involves questions of long term strategy as well as technical arms problems and lay a basis for the campaign in 1942.

The three Powers have sent strong delegations. For the Soviets, the Commissar of Foreign Affairs, M. Molotov, Marshal Voroshilov, the Naval Commissar, M. Kuznetsov, Commissar of Foreign Trade, M. Mikoyan, the former Foreign Commissar, M. Maxim Litvinov and Lieutenant General Filip Golikov. For the British, Lord Beaverbrook, the Chief of the Churchill's Military Staff, Major General G. Hastings Ismay, Vice-Chief of the Imperial General Staff, Major General MacRae, Parliamentary Secretary of the Ministry of Aircraft production, Captain H. H. Balfour, and the members of the British Military Mission to the Soviet Union, Major General MacFarlane, Rear Admiral Miles, and Vice-Marshal Collyer. For the United States, Mr. Averell Harriman, personal representative of President Roosevelt, Major General James Burns, Ordnance expert, General Georges Brett, Chief of the Army Air Corps with Major General Chaney as a substitute, Admiral William Standley, former Chief of Naval Operations and Mr. William Batt, Director of the Materials Division of the Office of Production Management.

Stimulus To Soviets

Since the joint letter was delivered on August 15, the Soviets have halted the Germans on the central front and buried them back at some points almost 25 miles. On the northern front, the Germans advanced on Leningrad but most of this front has also been stabilised and the positions around Novgorod have not changed during the past month.

In the Ukraine, however, the Germans have been advancing, attempting to reach Crimen and the Donetz mining and industrial centres.

The fact that the conference is meeting implies that the United States, Britain as well as the Soviets are confident that the Germans will be unable to strike a decisive blow.

The joint letter mentioned the importance of the three Powers having "full knowledge" of the entire supply programme; therefore, the conference is expected to include the exchange of information regarding the tri-Power output of the various types of war materials. Once the information regarding output is available and supplies have been exchanged, the conference can discuss the distribution of the tri-Power resources between the various fronts.

The United States delegation will be able to state how much of the United States production of materials will be available after the United States defence needs have been satisfied. The conference will have to decide how to distribute this surplus which has been going to Britain under the Lend and Lease programme, but President Roosevelt has the power to divert the materials to wherever he deems they will do the most good.

## New Nazi Offensive Threat

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Luftwaffe forces supported the German troops attacking over the entire front on Saturday, blasting the Russian front line positions and rear communications. They attacked Soviet warships in Kronstadt harbour on Saturday scoring three hits on one warship, while they set fire to a Soviet torpedo boat in the Baltic and sank eight Soviet transports jammed with Soviet troops when they attempted to land on Oesel Island.

They also blasted a number of Russian aerodromes destroying or damaging hangars, quarters, fuel depots, aircraft and guns. Fourteen Russian fighters were shot down by the Germans while the Luftwaffe lost two machines.

German planes attacked the Russian railway lines in the central sector scoring hits on a number of trains and tearing up the rails. They also attacked highways and communications destroying many transport vehicles.

In Southern Sector

In the southern sector the Luftwaffe destroyed additional railway emplacements and field fortifications. Transportation was interrupted due to the destruction of railways while transport columns on the highways were attacked. Eighteen Russian planes were destroyed when an aerodrome was attacked.

The Germans carried out attacks on the Russian front lines and rear communications on the northern front concentrating on railway communications.

## Roosevelt Ready For Action

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

HYDE PARK, Sept. 28 (UP).—President Roosevelt on the eve of returning Washington for momentary delay in the revision of the Neutrality Law, attended church services and participated in a prayer that the United States dedicate itself to the restoration of world peace.

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